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INSURANCE AGENTS,
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FIRE, Life, Cargo, and Steamboat Hull Risks, taken in the following responsible and solvent Insurance Companies, severally authorised by license from the Auditor of State to transact business in Kentucky, under the new Insurance Law of the State.

In presenting these Companies to the attention of the community, we do so with every assurance and guarantee of their undoubted solvency and promptitude in the settlement of losses, and as being worthy of entire confidence in every respect.

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Cash Capital ... $5,000,000.
FRED. S. WINSTON, President. ISAAC ABBATT, Secretary.
The Assured participate in the Profits.

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Cash Capital and Surplus ... $800,000
GEORGE T. HOPE, President. H. H. LAMPORT, Secretary.
The Assured participate in the Profits.

NORTH AMERICAN FIRE INSURANCE CO., No. 6 Wall street, New York. (Organized in the year 1823.)
Cash Capital and Surplus ... $300,000
JAS. W. OTIS, Pres't. R. W. BLEECKER, Sec'y.

INSURANCE CO. OF THE VALLEY OF VA., Winchester.
Cash Capital ... $300,000
J. S. CARSON, Pres't. WM. L. BENT, Sec'y.

CITY FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, New Haven, Conn.
Chartered Capital ... $500,000
Paid in and Surplus ... $225,000
WELLS SOUTHWORTH, Pres't. J. F. BABCOCK, Vice Pres't.
GEO. H. SCRANTON, Secretary.

KNICKERBOCKER LIFE INSURANCE CO. No. 17 William street, New York.
Cash Capital and Surplus ... $200,000
ERASTUS LYMAN, President. STEPHEN C. WHEELER, Sec'y.

HUMBOLDT FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, No. 10 Wall street, New York.
Cash Capital ... $200,000
JOHN RANKIN, Pres't. WM. MULLIGAN, Sec. A. WILEY, Jr., Ass. Sec.

FARMERS' UNION INSURANCE CO. OF PENN. Athens, Penn.
Cash Capital and Surplus ... $250,000
O. N. SHIPMAN, Pres't. C. S. RUSSELL, Sec.

FULTON FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, No. 40 Wall street, New York.
Cash Capital and Surplus ... $215,000
WM. A. COBB, Pres't. JAS. M. RANKIN, Sec'y.

As duly authorized Agents of the above-named Insurance Companies, we are prepared to effect every description of Insurance, upon the most favorable terms, on Property, Merchandise, and Life, including Insurance upon the lives of Slaves engaged in any kind of employment. All losses promptly and liberally adjusted at Louisville, Ky. e28 dtf

FIRE INSURANCE!
BY
JOHN MUIR.

PHŒNIX FIRE INSURANCE COMP'Y, No. 62 Wall street, New York.
Capital and Surplus ... $290,000
MONTAUK FIRE INSURANCE CO., No. 60 Wall street, New York.
Capital and Surplus ... $184,000
ATLANTIC FIRE INSURANCE CO., No. 14 Wall street, New York.
Capital and Surplus ... $240,000
SECURITY FIRE INSURANCE CO., No. 81 Pine street, New York.
Capital and Surplus ... $260,000

The undersigned, Agent of the above reliable Companies, will do a general Fire Insurance business at the lowest established rates. Losses, as usual, promptly adjusted and paid.
He solicits a return of the patronage of his former friends in this business, and of the public generally. JOHN MUIR.
Office at Jefferson Insurance Company, Main street, opposite Bank of Louisville. a26 dtf

FRANKLIN INSURANCE COMPANY OF LOUISVILLE, KY.
Office corner Main and Bullitt streets, second story of Newcomb's building, entrance on Main st.
THIS Company continues to make Insurance policies against the perils of navigation on ships, Steamboats and their Cargoes; also against loss by Fire on Vessels and Steamboats lying in port, and Houses and Contents.
JAS. TRABUE, President.
Abram Hite, Secretary.
DIRECTORS:
Wm. Gay, Wm. Garvin, James S. Lithgow, John W. Anderson, James B. Wilder, Wm. Hughes, Helden T. Curd, Warren Newcomb, Samuel L. Nock, Wm. B. Hamilton, Geo. C. Castleman, Hugh Brent.
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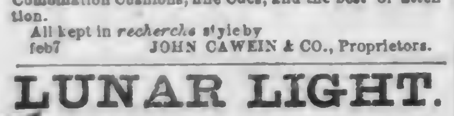
AMERICAN INSURANCE COMPANY OF LOUISVILLE, KY.
Chartered Capital ... $500,000.
Paid in and Secured ... $100,000.
This Company is now organized and ready to engage in a general Marine and Fire Insurance business on liberal terms.
Office No. 516 north side Main street, opposite the Bank of Louisville, over the Agricultural Store of G. W. Bashaw.
JESSE K. BELL, President.
Henry Dent, Secretary.
DIRECTORS:
Jesse K. Bell, Wm. H. Stokes, F. L. Huffman, John Barbee, Marshall Halbert, Sam'l Cary, Robt. Bell, Wm. E. Curd, Will Watkins. jy22 dly

JEFFERSON INSURANCE COMPANY
OFFICE on the north side of Main street, opposite the Bank of Louisville, over the store of Rawson, Cood & Todd.
Chartered Capital ... $200,000
Paid in and Secured ... 125,000
RISKS taken on shipments by steamboats, by vessels at sea, and by the usual modes of inland transportation. Also on the hulls and appurtenances of steamboats.
JOHN MUIR, President,
William Muir, Secretary.
DIRECTORS:
A. Rawson, John M. Robinson, Richard Atkinson, Ebenezer Bustard, T. A. McDowell, John White, John Cornwall, Geo. W. Small. jy3dtf

WALKER'S EXCHANGE AND RESTAURANT HOTEL.



ESTABLISHED 1834.
THE Exchange supplied with the purest Wines, Liquors, Cigars, &c., &c.
The Restaurant with delicious Shell Oysters, Venison, and all the luxuries of the season.
The Billiard Saloon, with Marble Tables, Phalon's Combination Cushions, fine Cues, and the best of attention.
All kept in recherche style by
feb7 JOHN CAWEIN & CO., Proprietors.

LUNAR LIGHT.
THIS LAMP burns with a pure white brilliant light equal to gas, and is much cheaper than gas. The Lunar Light took the first premium at the last Mechanics' Fair in Louisville. One dollar's worth of Lunar Oil gives the light of $3 16 of Lard Oil, $4 36 of Whale Oil, $9 45 of Burning Fluid, $14 26 of Candles. Half a pint burns 15 hours, costing about 5½ cents, giving a light equal to 5 or 6 star candles. Lunar Oil is not explosive, has no disagreeable smell, and is not liable to smoke. Lamps suitable for all purposes.
Call and see for yourselves at No. 5 MASONIC TEMPLE, Fourth street.
County rights for sale.
o29-n15 dtf GEO. BEATTY.

TO MERCHNATS AND BANKERS.
JUST received on consignment, from Memphis, a few dozen of BYRD'S CELEBRATED COPYING CARDS, with which any number of letters can be copied at one operation. Many of our mercantile friends purchased of the inventor in July last, when he was here, and have approved of them highly. The price is so low every person who has occasion to copy will not hesitate to purchase. Price, $3 50 per dozen. Sold last July at $4 and $5.
WEBB & LEVERING,
ja18 No. 521 Main street.

BUSINESS CARDS.

H. B. CLIFFORD,
WHOLESALE PRODUCE,
FORWARDING & COMMISSION MERCHANT,
[EXCLUSIVELY.]
No. 23 Fourth (or Wall) street,
LOUISVILLE, KY.
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JOHN SNYDER ... G. M'CALLUM.
SNYDER & M'CALLUM,
Commission and Produce Merchants,
No. 24 Wall street, between Main and Water.
LOUISVILLE, KY.
Particular attention paid to the sale of Flour, Grain and Produce.
An extra article of family flour always on hand. 17

C. J. RAIBLE,
454 Jefferson st., bet. Third and Fourth
LOUISVILLE, KY.,

MANUFACTURER, Importer and Dealer in Fringes, Cords, Tassels, Buttons, all kinds of Worsted and Embroidering Patterns, Military Goods, Ladies' Dress Trimmings, Embroidering Silks, Steel Purse Trimmings, &c.
He has just recived a large lot of Shetland and Zephier Worsted, a so
LADIES' DRESS TRIMMINGS,
To which he would call the attention of the ladies and asks an examination of them.
All kinds of Fringes, Cords and Tassels made to order at short notice. je9dtf

PHILLIPS & CO.,
Commission & Forwarding Merchants
AND
WHARFBOAT PROPRIETORS,
n27 dly CAIRO, ILL.

C. I. & A. V. DUPONT,
MANUFACTURERS OF
NEWS BOOK, AND COLORED PAPER,
ALSO
WHOLESALE DEALERS
IN
Paper of all Kinds.
CASH PAID FOR RAGS at the Office of the LOUISVILLE PAPER MILL, No. 477 Main st. d4

C. L. THOMASSON,
Attorney-at-Law & Notary Public,
Commissioner of Deeds
FOR ALL OF THE UNITED STATES.
Office, Fifth st., opposite Court House.
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D. M. SMITH ... W. H. SMITH ... ADD. T. SMITH
D. M. SMITH & BROS.,
GENERAL
Commission & Forwarding Merchants
AND DEALERS IN
FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC LIQUORS.
ALSO, MANUFACTURERS OF
CIDER VINEGAR,
No. 14, Second st., bet. Main and the River,
d2 dly LOUISVILLE, KY.

CRYSTAL PALACE
LUPE & EVANS, Proprietors,
On the corner of Jefferson and Fifth streets
LOUISVILLE, KY.
IN addition to their regular Saloon business, LUPE & EVANS respectfully inform their patrons that they are sole agents for the sale of RHODES & VERNER'S and WOOD'S celebrated Pittsburgh X, XX, XXX, and India Ale. They keep a full stock on hand, and are always prepared to supply Merchants, Hotels and Families by the barrel or bottle. This Ale is not surpassed by any in the country, and they confidently recommend it.
Fine old Wines and Liquors.
Extra fine Cigars. my13 dtf

A. L. HOOE ... J. G. P. HOOE.
A. L. HOOE & BROTHER,
(SUCCESSORS TO HOOE LUCKETT & CO.)
IMPORTERS AND DEALERS IN
FRENCH CHINA,
Iron-Stone China, and Earthenware,
BOHEMIAN AND AMERICAN
GLASSWARE,
For Steamboats, Hotels and Families.
Silver-Ware, Britannia-Ware, Cutlery and Fancy Goods, Girandoles, Knives, Forks, Carvers, Spoons, Coffee Urns, Waiters, and every variety of
HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS,
421 Market st., south side, bet. Fourth and Fifth,
jan1 LOUISVILLE, KY. dtf

P. M. JONES,
MANUFACTURER AND DEALER IN
STOVES AND TINWARE,
SCHOOLEY'S
PATENT REFRIGERATORS,
WATER COOLERS, BATH TUBS,
AND
HOUSE-KEEPING ARTICLES GENERALLY,
No. 77 Fourth street, 2 doors above National Hotel,
ap2 LOUISVILLE, KY. dtf

JOHN FLECK,
LARD OIL AND MOULD CANDLE
MANUFACTURER,
No. 824 Jefferson street (north side),
Between Clay and Shelby,
And south side Market street, between Brook and Floyd,
(Under Howard House,)
LOUISVILLE, KENTUCKY.
FOR the convenience of my customers and the public in the middle and lower part of the city, I have, besides my Factory on Jefferson street, opened a store on the south side of Market street, between Brook and Floyd, where I hope to meet with a large patronage in my line.
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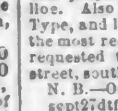
WM. SKENE & CO.,
OIL MANUFACTURERS,
Bullitt street, Louisville, Ky.,
KEEP constantly on hand pure, medium, and No. 2 Lard Oil, Machine and Head Light Oil, Nos. 1 and 2 Lubricating Oil, Rosin Oil of different grades, and Wheel Grease for wagons, drays and carriages. Also Skene's superior Paint Dryer, which is warranted to dry sooner than any other Dryer. jy14 dly

JOSEPH GRIFFITH,
FIFTH STREET, NEAR MAIN,
LOUISVILLE, KY.,



IMPORTER OF GUNS, PISTOLS, and GUN MATERIAL, and Wholesale and Retail Dealer in Fishing Tackle and Sporting Apparatus. Merchants and others are respectfully invited to examine his stock before making their purchases. s6 d6m

WOOD CARVING.
GORY & MURRAY
RESPECTFULLY inform the public that they are prepared to execute all kinds of work in the above line. Also Paterns, Brands, Molds, Block Letters, Wood Type, and large Wood Cuts, in the shortest notice and on the most reasonable terms. Persons wanting work are requested to call at their establishment on Jefferson street, south side, between Third and Fourth, Louisville.
N. B.—Orders from abroad promptly attended to.
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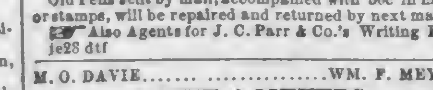
T. H. HOSKINS ... C. P. BARNES
LOUISVILLE
GOLD PEN MANUFACTORY.



HOSKINS & BARNES,
88 Third st., bet. Market & Jefferson,
LOUISVILLE, KY.,
OFFER to the public Gold Pens of their own manufacture at wholesale and retail, warranted equal to any made in the country.
GOLD PENS REPAIRED AND REPOINTED.
Old Pens sent by mail, accompanied with 50c in money or stamps, will be repaired and returned by next mail.
Also Agents for J. C. Parr & Co.'s Writing Fluid.
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M. O. DAVIE ... WM. F. MEYERS
DAVIE & MEYERS,
EXCHANGE AND LOTTERY OFFICE,
North side Market street, bet. Third & Fourth,
TRANSACT a general BROKERAGE BUSINESS. All Uncurrent Money, Land Warrants, Gold and Silver, Bought and Sold.
Orders for Tickets in the Shelby College or Havana Lotteries promptly filled.
N. B. Communications strictly confidential.
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JOHN FLECK'S
NON-EXPLOSIVE BURNING FLUID.
THIS Fluid is equal if not superior to any now in use, as it gives a better light, burns longer, smokes less, and is certainly non-explosive. Manufactured and for sale, wholesale and retail, by
ap14 dly JOHN FLECK, Louisville, Ky.

R. A. SHRADER & Co.,
COMMISSION MERCHANTS, and Wholesale and Retail Dealers in Whisky, Brandy, Wines, &c., &c., 607 Market street, above Brook, north side, Louisville, Ky.
115 bbls old Copper Whisky;
75 do common do;
50 do Bourbon do;
85 do Monongahela Whisky;
25 do Brandy;
20 do Gin;
20 do Rum, Wines, &c.;
In store and for sale by
d16 R. A. SHRADER & CO.

DAILY COURIER.

CITY ELECTION, APRIL 2, 1859.

DEMOCRATIC NOMINATIONS.

FOR MAYOR,
HON. JOHN JOYES.

FOR CITY ATTORNEY,
CAPT. WM. E. WOODRUFF.

FOR AUDITOR,
JOHN A. FISHER.

FOR TREASURER,

FOR ASSESSOR,
WM. A. COCKE.

FOR CITY TAX COLLECTOR—EASTERN DISTRICT,
T. T. SUMMERS.

FOR R. R. TAX COLLECTOR—EASTERN DISTRICT,
G. T. MAY.

FOR STREET INSPECTOR—EASTERN DISTRICT,
JESSE TALBOTT.

FOR CITY TAX COLLECTOR—WESTERN DISTRICT,
WM. S. ROBERTS.

FOR R. R. TAX COLLECTOR—WESTERN DISTRICT,
D. E. FONDA.

FOR STREET INSPECTOR—WESTERN DISTRICT,
THOS. J. OSBORNE.

MONDAY ... FEBRUARY 21, 1859.

For Latest Telegraph Dispatches, River and Steamboat News, Commercial Matters, etc., see Fourth Page.

Premonitions of the Free-Nigger Pow Wow.

A few of the delegates to the Opposition Convention—half a dozen, perhaps—have made their appearance in our city. They have not caused business to suspend, nor turned the inhabitants of our quiet town crazy. All things seem to be going on as if these dignitaries were not present.

One of these delegates holds in his official pocket the manuscript of the Hon. Joshua F. Bell, declining to be sensible to any honors that the convention of the 22d can confer upon him. Some of the intense say, however, that this wont do, and that Mr. Bell must appear in *propria persona*. A messenger has been dispatched for him, with the design of bringing him here, whether he wants to come or not.

We don't suppose that the Hon. L. W. Andrews, and other aspirants, will like the efforts made to get Mr. Bell here, but they can't show more dislike than Bell has already manifested.—Bell declined through his home organ, the Danville Tribune, to have anything to do with the mongrel convention, and again has dispatched a writing over his own signature to the same effect. He has seen enough of Know Nothingism, Americanism, Oppositionism, etc., to satisfy him that the less he has to do with the monster, under whatever name it is known, the better.

We think the convention has managed things badly. Grand Secretary Duncan ought to have had a candidate arranged by secret circular.—Perhaps he has done so. He is great at secrets and circulars, and may astonish the convention with a candidate ready to be nominated and to serve.

THEATER.—Manager Mellus announces a reduction of prices this morning, at the old favorite place of amusement, corner of Green and Fourth. This will be agreeable news to the community at large, especially to that portion who understand the philosophy of amusements, and appreciate the efforts of managers to afford those of the most refined nature. We say agreeable news, but do not mean to insinuate that any individual has ever begrudged the seventy-five cents he has deposited with the urbane ticket seller at the box office.—The agreeability arises from the fact that every gentleman will feel like taking a lady whenever he attends the Theater, as the two tickets cost him but a dollar, thus giving him extra enjoyment for the trifling advance of twenty-five cents. Here there is gain on all sides: the young man is accompanied to the play by his lady friend, gets double enjoyment from the performance, and saves fifty cents; the manager sells two tickets instead of one, and makes twenty-five cents in cash by the operation; and above all, the performers, in their mimic world, finding large audiences before them, gain new strength for their arduous tasks, and redouble their exertions to please their friends, that they may receive that unctious balm to an actor's soul—appreciative applause.

There is no doubt at all but that the upper tiers will be crowded hereafter, at the low prices, which will be twenty-five cents for the second tier and fifteen cents for the third. Every boy can go to the theater now, and improve not only his manners but his morals. Twenty-five cents is easily earned, and the manners of the stage are always worth studying, while his morals will certainly be improved, as he is kept from the mischief of the streets.

Mr. Neafie commences on the second week of his engagement to-night, appearing in his favorite character of Jack Cade. It is a play well worth seeing. The laughable farce of "A Bull in a China Shop" follows.

WHARTON'S FURNITURE WAREROOMS.—Jno. A. Wharton, an old dealer in the furniture trade, on Market street, above Brook, has enlarged his business by taking the adjoining store; and he has now a very large wareroom. It is crowded from the first to the third floor with furniture and articles for housekeepers, of all varieties and description, at prices to suit purchasers. His facilities are such that he can offer bargains as good if not better than can be elsewhere obtained. While his store is stocked with articles in this line as elegant as taste may demand, he also keeps second-hand furniture for those whose means are more limited. Those who are declining housekeeping will also find a liberal bidder in Mr. Wharton, by application as above. As those who want to buy will examine for themselves, we do not refer in detail to what he offers to the public.

FELONIOUS ASSAULT ON A GIRL.—A free negro, named Robt. Harris, attempted an outrage on a white girl, named Tracy, on Eleventh street, on Friday evening. In the absence of her mother, he dragged her from the house into an alley, holding his hand over her mouth. In her struggles she released his hand and screamed, and the fellow got frightened and run off. He was searched for, but eluded pursuit until Saturday, when Policeman Farleigh captured him on the steamer Alvin Adams, at Portland. An investigation will be had in the case this morning.

TWO BIRDS WITH ONE STONE.—We mentioned, a few days since, the arrest of one Jas. Moore with Richard Loring, the thief and mail robber. There was no particular charge against Moore, but, as the policemen inferred, he was in suspicious company. They were right, for it turns out that, although Moore had no connection with the operations of his associate, he did steal a shell box, with an $800 check in it, from a woman up town. See police report.

It is thought by some that the Oppositionists of the to-morrow's convention will choose another name for themselves if they assemble in good numbers, and call themselves the Twenty-second-of-February-ists, or something of that kind. Wonder if they will oppose every other day in the year if they take this name?

Policemen John Lamborne and Howard arrested five men at the City Hotel, on Saturday night, where they were kicking up a muss and playing the deuce generally. The fellows were all in one room, and in one bed until they broke it down and tumbled out. The same men have been acting disgracefully at other places before.

THE OPPOSITION CONVENTION.—A number of Know Nothings have already arrived, with a view of attending the Opposition Convention, to be held to-morrow. Prominent among these, of the members of the late Know Nothing party, are Ex-Gov. Letcher, W. C. Anderson, of Boyle, Phil. Thompson, of Mercer, and Jno. B. Huston, of Clark.

The surest method of securing long life is by the prevention of those dangers that endanger health. In the blood we find most of the causes of all diseases, and if this is kept pure health is certain. The celebrated Hurley's Sarsaparilla acts as a purifier of the system, and as such is an inestimable preserver of life and happiness.

STRUCK BY LIGHTNING.—The chimney of a building on Fifth street, between Jefferson and Green streets, was knocked to pieces by the lightning on Saturday. Fortunately no other damage was done, but the scaring of the inmates by the shock.

THE PICCOLOMINI EXCITEMENT.—This famous Italian prima donna will give two grand concerts in this city on Friday and Saturday evenings, February 25th and 26th, at the Masonic Temple. She will be accompanied by the principal artists of the Academy of Music, New York. Public expectation has been aroused to an unwonted pitch by the sudden and unexpectedly brilliant career of this wonderful young lady, and it may be safely asserted that never was curiosty more gratified.

There is something peculiarly impressive in the fact that a young girl of little over twenty years of age should be destined to renew in Italy—the cradle of song—the popular outbursts which attended the advent of a Malibran or a Pasta; and that, for three years in succession, she should have eclipsed the efforts of Grisi and a Bosio; particularly when it is remembered the very short time she has been before the public has not permitted her to appeal to them on the bare merits of an excessively ornate style. M'lle Piccolomini's art efforts are, in truth, the result of pure inspiration, aided by a freshness of voice and a spontaniety of style rendered irresistible by the artless fascination of her by play.

That our citizens will give her a reception she will long remember we have not the slightest doubt, and we can only advise our readers to keep the guage of their enthusiasm below the explosive mark.

As we have before announced, the sale of seats will commence on Wednesday, February 23d, at 9 o'clock precisely, at the music store of D. P. Faulds & Co., Main street.

There was a time when the term "patent medicine" was considered enough to condemn any article of the kind. Physicians declaimed against them as "secret nostrums," and the public were afraid to use them because they did not know their composition. But Dr. John Bull has effected a revolution in the trade. He proclaims openly to the world the component parts of his preparations, and the proportions in which they are combined. This manly course has disarmed even the prejudices of physicians themselves, and many of them now *prescribe his Compound Pectoral of Wild Cherry*, in affections of the throat and lungs, in preference to any prescription they can have prepared by a druggist. Those who try it once never abandon it for any other remedy.

Dr. Stone gives his last entertainment at Masonic Temple to-night. Those who have attended and witnessed the Doctor's experiments on previous evenings will require no urging to go again, and those who have not been will lose a rare intellectual treat if they fail to go this evening. On Friday night last the Doctor's success certainly was most truly astonishing. Among the subjects operated upon was a well known professor of music of this city, who was made to believe himself a celebrated opera singer, and he entertained the audience highly by singing two or three beautiful ballads, accompanying himself upon an imaginary piano. Go early to-night and secure your seats.

STORM SATURDAY NIGHT.—Between 9 and 10 o'clock Saturday night, a frightful wind storm, followed by a heavy rain, visited this city. And although the wind howled in fury and great force, and the rain poured down in torrents, yet but trivial damage was occasioned thereby. A number of telegraph poles were prostrated, some trees blown down, shutters and signs released from their fastenings—and that was all.

As after a storm comes a calm, so the sun rose bright and clear yesterday, and barring the high wind, was a fair day—that is, as compared with the weather of a week past.

OVERFLOW IN THE OHIO RIVER.—*La Belle Riviere* is at flood hight now, and of course out of its banks. It is higher now than at any time since 1855. At this point the wharf from Second street to the canal is under water, including the Third street bridge across Beargrass. The water at dusk last evening was in the lower story of all houses below Fourth street, and the inhabitants have been compelled to flee to higher ground for safety. In our river news columus will be found full and interesting details.

BORIE'S CONFECTIONERY.—Our old friend, A. Borie, whose confectionery establishment is just across from our office, advertises candies, fruits, toys, etc. The candies manufactured at this establishment are in high repute in South and West, and we have every assurance that the proprietor will continue to make them as sweet as sugar.—The kisses, for which his store has also been famous, will, as heretofore, excel everybody's, except those made by pretty women. Theirs, however, are not for sale; his are, and at low prices.

THE BUTCHERS' BALL AT MASONIC TEMPLE.—The managers of this affair, which takes place at Masonic Temple to-morrow night, intend that it shall be a splendid affair. The company will, we understand, be quite large, but not uncomfortably so. The purpose is to have the greatest amount of pleasure that can be derived from a festivity of the kind. What, with fine music, an elegant supper, pretty women, and plenty of them too, who won't go to the butchers' ball.

THE HALLOWED TWENTY-SECOND.—It is the wish of many of our citizens that business will be suspended to-morrow, the anniversary of the birth of Washington. We hope that it may be a day of rest, generally observed in the city, in honor of the Father of his Country. Those who are not patriotic enough to make the day a holiday in honor of Washington, should make it one of mourning for the convention to be held here in desecration of a day so sacred.

FALLS CITY WHITE LEAD.—Lindenberger & Co., wholesale druggists, 570 Main street, between Third and Fourth streets, inform the trade through the columns of the Courier that they can furnish Falls City Pure White Lead in packages to suit their patrons. This brand of white lead, which is their own manufacture, is conceded to be very superior, and has a large sale in this and other markets.

A FINE TROTTER SOLD.—Mr. W. D. Ranger, of Lexington, has sold his fine trotting horse "Ranger" to Mr. Ten Broeck, who proposes taking him to England. "Ranger" went it the fastest time of all last fall over the Southwestern Agricultural Fair Grounds near this city. The mile was trotted in 2:41, which, considering that the circle had to be traveled twice, and other disadvantages, made it equal to at least 2:36!

DISCHARGED TOO SOON.—Davis, who was arraigned before Judge Johnston, of the Police Court, for alleged horse stealing, and discharged the other day, it appears was a thief, in fact. A man arrived from Cloverport, who confirms the suspicion, and says the horse stolen by Davis belonged to him. But he was too late—the bird had flown.

INCENDIARISM AT PORTSMOUTH, VA.—The citizens of Portsmouth, Va., are deeply excited at the incendiarism in that city. A man named Grant and his accomplice, Reed, charged with the offence, have been arrested. An indignation meeting was held last week, and steps taken to prevent the recurrence of the scoundrelism.

The late rains have washed several feet of the pavement and street, at the intersection of High and Twelfth streets, into the gulf below.—The Council, at its late meeting, passed a resolution directing the City Engineer to devise measures to prevent more of it following suit. His promp attention is certainly needed.

NOVEL MATCH AT HAMMOND'S PIT.—A fight is to take place between a tiger-cat from the mountains, and the imported bull-terrier "Noble," at Jesse Hammond's pit, on Tuesday evening, as will be seen per advertisement. The wild cat can there be seen in all its fierceness and fury, in combat with a noble specimen of the canine race.

BEHIND TIME.—The train on the Jeffersonville road, due yesterday morning, did not arrive until in the afternoon. We heard that the detention was caused by running off the track at Henryville, but are not informed as to the extent of injury done, if any.

The telegraph was not working on Saturday night, or last evening, in consequence of the severe storm of Saturday night. The line is down in forty places or more between this city and Cincinnati.

KNOW NOTHING NOMINATIONS.—On Saturday night, the members of Jackson Council, in the First Ward, nominated Wm. White and Joseph Robb for Common Council, and Dr. J. A. Krack for School Trustee.

There will be a meeting of the Directors of the "Kentucky Farmer's Mutual Insurance Company," at their office on Bullitt street, on Tuesday morning, the 22d inst., at 11 o'clock.—Business of importance will be before the meeting, and a full attendance is requested.

Spring is almost with us, and as if in anticipation the weather last week was almost as warm as in May. It is altogether probable, however, that we may be favored with another cold snap before winter bids us a final adieu.

The census of the city of New Orleans, taken a few days ago, shows the population of that city to consist of 116,257 whites, 13,774 slaves, and 8,276 free negroes. The total population is 138,277, of which 17,282 are voters.

In the sale of books to-night, at the auction rooms of Messrs. S. G. Henry & Co., will be found a variety of German books. Also a number of executive documents, valuable to the politician.

FIGHT.—On yesterday evening, at the corner of Hancock and Market streets, a hackman by the name of Hartman attempted to flog a small boy for some trivial offense, when a "Butcher Boy" interfered and thrashed the hackman.

An oration will be delivered by R. B. Pittman, of Boyle county, before the students of the Law School, at Mozart Hall, on Tuesday, the 22d inst., at 7½ o'clock P. M. d2*

DETAINED.—The train on the Nashville Railroad due at 5 P. M., on Saturday evening, did not arrive until 11 P. M. It was detained by the slipping in of a cut on Mildrough's Hill.

An extra train went to Lexington, on Sunday, to carry two lady passengers, who were going to their father, Mr. Didlake, who is lying dangerously ill at that place.

ORATION ON THE TWENTY SECOND.—Mr. R. B. Pitman has been selected to deliver the annual oration of the law School, on the 22d of February. It will be delivered at Mozart Hall.

BURNED.—A stable, belonging to the Messrs. Duckwalls, in Portland, was burnt about 9 o'clock on Saturday night. The loss is trifling.

The Whigs of Virginia have presented Robert Ridgway, Esq., of the Richmond Whig, with a service of plate valued at $500.

Hon. Horace Maynard, of Tennessee, announces he is a candidate for re-election to Congress.

Hon. T. A. R. Nelson is the Opposition candidate for Congress, in the Knoxville District, Tennessee.

Among the passengers by the Prince Albert, at New York, is the Hon. William Smith O'Brien, the Irish patriot.

Our markets are already pretty well supplied with lettuce and radishes.

MEETING OF JEFFERSON STREET PROPERTY-HOLDERS.—The property-holders of Jefferson street, adverse to the railroad cars passing that street, hold a meeting to-night, as will be seen by this notice:

Notice is hereby given to all property-holders and business men on Jefferson street, from the railroad depot to the city lines, to meet at Schwind's tavern, on Jefferson, between Hancock and Clay streets, on Monday evening, the 21st of February, for the purpose of taking into consideration by what means we will get clear of said railroad coming through said street.

MURDER AND SUICIDE.—Mr. Ruben S. Price, of this city, received a letter from a relative yesterday, residing in Poweshiek county, which contained the following account of a horrible murder and suicide in Brooklyn, in that county. The letter is dated the 11th:

There was quite a serious affair happened at Brooklyn last evening. It appears that the evening before a man got out of the stage at Brooklyn. He said he held the post of Second Lieutenant at Fort Laramie, and was on his way to Washington City on furlough. He stopped at Dr. Conway's, and said he was afraid to go on to the city as some men were after him to take his life. It was soon ascertained that he had the delirium tremens. He stayed there all day, and about 5 o'clock in the evening, Ben Hawes, Cornelius Putnam, and one or two others were sitting in Conway's bar-room with him. He was walking about the room, when, without saying a word, the Lieutenant drew a pistol and shot Hawes through the heart. Hawes exclaimed, "O, my God!" and died instantly.

Putnam immediately caught the stranger around the arms and pushed him into the street, when the officer put a pistol to his own head and blew his brains out. He died without uttering a word. The papers found on his body showed that he was all he represented himself to be, that his name was J. B. Roane, and that he was a widower, and has a daughter about fifteen years old, who is residing in Richmond, Va. He appears to be about thirty-five years old. They will be buried to-morrow.

We have received an extra from the Montezuma Republican office verifying the above in every particular. The same day this horrible affair occurred, Lieut. Roane sent the following note to the County Clerk:

THE CLERK OF THE COURT OF POWESHIEK:

Dear Sir: An officer of the army from Fort Kearney is here, and has been followed by assasins who intend at the first opportunity to kill him. I am the individual and overheard the arrangements. There is no joke in this, and any assistance you can render me will be thankfully received. The bearer can give you all information.—In haste. Yours, most respectfully,
J. B. ROANE.
Fourth Artillery.

Mr. Hawes left a wife and two children. The event cast a gloom over the whole community.—*Davenport Gazette, Jan. 16.*

THE ROCK ISLAND BRIDGE CONDEMNED.—Amos Stillman, City Engineer of Rock Island, has filed an affidavit in the office of the clerk of the county of Rock Island, to the effect that the Rock Island Railroad Bridge is unsafe for the passage of trains. A petition has been prepared, says the Islander and Argus, founded upon the affidavit of Mr. Stillman, and will be presented to the court at the March term, asking for an injunction to prevent trains passing over the bridge in consequence of its dangerous condition.

The same paper understands that suits were commenced on the 14th, in the Circuit Court against the Chicago and Rock Island Railroad Company, by W. F. Chadwick, Esq., attorney, in favor of the following named plaintiffs, for injuries done to steamboats at the Railroad Bridge:

George L. McClintock and others—Steamer Henry Graff	$10,000
Isaac H. Mason—Steamer Vixen	10,000
Robert Herdman and others—Steamer Arazonia	12,000
W. L. B. Jenks and others—Steamer Lucie May	6,000
Joseph W. Brown—Barge Thetis	2,000
John C. Irvine and others—Steamer Rescue	6,000
William Dorr—Raft	3,000
Henry A. Jones and others—Steamer Gen. Pike	5,000
P. S. Hurrull—Rafts	4,000
J. S. Hurd and others—Steamer Effie Afton	200,000
Total	$258,000

The Missouri and Mississippi United—The First Train Through from Hannibal.

Agreeable to expectation and announcement, both ends of the Hannibal and St. Joseph Railroad were made to meet on Saturday evening last, the 12th inst., and the first through train from the Mississippi, Father of Waters, reached here on Tuesday evening, thus uniting by iron bands the two great rivers, and drawing the great West into the middle of civilization. St. Joseph is no longer in the West—that mystic region is now somewhere in the neighborhood of Pike's Peak and the Rocky Mountains. The first train brought legions of gold seekers from the North and East, who come as the pioneers and advance guard of thousands yet to follow.

This is a great event, and language is perfectly inadequate to speak of the rich future which is in store for the faithful.

Kansas News.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 18.—The amnesty act passed by the Kansas Legislature is on record—with the utmost satisfaction by both parties in the Territory. They express the belief that the measure will bring permanent peace.

The prisoners brought to Lawrence by U. S. Marshall Russell, have been released according to its provisions. Russell himself, who was detained there, was set at liberty, and furnished by Montgomery with a safe conduct home.

The bill legislating the County Court Judges of St. Louis county out of office, has passed the State Senate by a decisive majority. The judges removed are Wimer, Lanham, and Hackney. Their offence consisted in levying a heavy special tax unneccessarily, and in voting Wimer into the Presidency of the Pacific Railroad.

Selected Dispatches.

BOSTON, Feb. 17.—Rumors are current that Mr. S. McGowan, Treasurer of the Mutual Loan Fund Association, has decamped with the funds belonging to the Association. The amount is not known.

WHEELING, Va., Feb. 17.—Hon. Sherrad Clemens was unanimously nominated for Congress on the first ballot in the convention held to-day.

NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—The forgeries of the Colonial Bank of Barbadoes were committed by a German named Henry Law, doing business at the time at No. 34 Beaver street. He went to Europe a few weeks ago, taking with him about $70,000, the product of his operations. Law was formerly a merchant in Calcutta.

[For the Louisville Courier.]

Political Matters in Anderson County.

Editors Louisville Courier: The Democratic Convention has assembled at Frankfort, and decided as to who shall be their standard bearer in the ensuing contest. A nomination by that convention is equivalent to an election. It may, therefore, be interesting to the numerous readers of your paper, throughout the State, to know what the feeling is in each county in the State with regard to those nominations. The Anderson Democrats have never faltered in any contest, nor do they intend to do so in the future. They feel that in the fight before them success to their principles is but a question of time; the only thing that they are anxious to know, is what is to be the majority of their party in August next. They feel proud of their leaders, and intend to roll up for them an increased majority over any they have yet given. Beriah Magoffin is well known to us; he is our neighboring countyman, and is in our own Senatorial District. We consequently know how true he has been to our cause, and how he has labored for its success. We intend, therefore, to give him our undivided support. Of the second upon the ticket, we may more properly speak, as he lives in a distant portion of the State, and is known to a majority of the people of Anderson, not personally, but by his acts alone. Mr. Boyd has been marked, in his political course, by his constancy to his party principles, and by his indomitable energy in carrying them out. For more than a quarter of a century we have both heard and read of Linn Boyd, of the First District, of his high social qualities, his consummate talents, his integrity of character, and his extreme devotion to the Democratic party. He has been known to us as one of the few who have never deviated from their political creed, however brightly may have burned the fires of persecution. We have known him as a war-tried veteran, who has come out of every contest with our enemies unscathed and with colors afloat; and though watched throughout his political career, by the argus eyes of an unscrupulous opposition, passed the ordeal; while friend or foe could only urge against him that, like the Roman Scipes, he carried the war into Africa. The overwhelming majority that has always greeted the Democracy, whether in defeat or victory, from the noble First, has told full well how true was this policy. The Democracy of little Anderson, with one accord, say, hurrah for Linn Boyd.

The Congressional race is attracting some attention in the county of Anderson. The general expression of the Democracy of Anderson is favorable to J. H. Jewett, our present Representative in Congress. They say that he first fought under adverse circumstances, and redeemed the district from the thraldom of the foes of the Democracy and the Union, at a time when there hung over the political sea a cloud which threatened to lash it into a commotion that would probably have wrecked the good old ship of State; at a time when there was to be found no champion willing to dare the danger and lead our forlorn hope. It was then that the gallant Jewett, like a true son of Democracy, took the field, and by his eloquent voice infused renewed zeal into the breasts of his crest-fallen party and won the victory for them; that he ran the second time by the almost universal consent of every county in the district; that he has from the first represented the best interests of his constituents; that he has since, by his fidelity to the Union and the principles of the Democratic party, acquired an influence in the national councils, which is truly enviable, and of which they, as his constituents, feel proud; and that he has presented to the people an unblemished record. They are, therefore, disposed to support and sustain the Hon. J. H. Jewett, whom they consider as one of the very few true representatives of the people. Why, they say, should we, just at the time that he has acquired a knowledge of legislation and a position among his fellow-representatives which renders him able to truly represent his district and be useful to the country at large, turn him off for an untried servant? This position and influence they contend is not to be acquired, but by being repeatedly returned to Congress, with the fullest indorsement of his district. It is most probable that the county of Anderson, from the feeling now evinced, will not consent for Jewett to decline, or for any other to run in his stead.

ANDERSON.

[Correspondence of the Louisville Courier.]

The Ashland District—Thomas P. Porter.

JESSAMINE COUNTY, Ky., Feb. 15, 1859.

Editors Louisville Courier: I have noticed with feelings of gratitude the communications of your Henry county correspondent in relation to our gallant State Senator, T. P. Porter, and will just say that he but echoes the sentiments of hundreds of his constituents, when he says that "his triumph over A. K. Marshall" was "the most splendid victory that was achieved in the summer of 1857 in the State." And we believe, furthermore, that if Hon. James B. Clay should decline to fight another battle for his country, that Mr. Porter will be the *very best* man to lead the gallant Ashland Democracy to another victory over the proscriptive heresy once called *Americanism*—K. N. ism—but now called the "Opposition to the *Modern Democracy*." Mr. P. is one of the soundest Democrats in the State, and has served his constituents, in the capacity of Senator at Frankfort, with honor to himself; and a general approbation from political friends and foes is the welcome plaudit upon all hands. Mr. Porter redeemed this Senatorial District from the thraldom of Know Nothingism, when that monster was in the zenith of its glory—when the war-whoop was heard from Dan to Beersheba, "Let none but Americans be put on guard"—"Americans must rule America."

Mr. Porter, like Murat, whose significant crest was always seen in the hottest of the battle, was always in the enemie's ranks, not fighting for them, but breaking their front, scattering their confused and ill-disciplined troops, and causing victory to perch upon our banners.—If, as your Henry letter-writer says, Mr. Clay will not consent to lead us on to another glorious victory, T. P. Porter will suit the masses for the responsible position of Congressman from the Ashland District. And Allen L. McAfee is the one upon whom we now *fix our eye* to fill the place which Mr. P. will vacate—for if he is not run for Congress he will be run for the State Senate, which will be equivalent to an election, if he consents to run. I simply make these few remarks to show that there are people in Jessamine who love Mr. Porter for his gallantry, and are willing to elevate him to a position, the duties of which will cause him to show what a man he is. CLAY, FIRST, PORTER, NEXT, *is the order of the day!*

JESSAMINE.

The War Question in Europe.

The London Times declares that France has placed herself in a position in which she is not altogether mistress of her own conduct. She has gone so far in supporting the cause of Piedmont against Austria that she has placed it in the power of that small State to drag her into hostilities whenever she pleases. Let a revolt arise in one of the Dutchies or Legations now occupied by Austrian troops; should Piedmont seize upon the occasion to intervene on the other side, she can, by a single precipitate escapade, render it impossible for France, with any respect for her honor or consistency, to avoid a declaration of war against Austria. Austria has advanced her forces to the left bank of the Ticino, the Sardinian army confronts her on the right, every day is full of danger, and the first shot that is fired may find a dreadful echo in a hundred battle-fields as yet innocent of human blood.

As to the probable direction of the campaign, should hostilities occur, the London correspondent of the Manchester Guardian writes:

"I find, from conversation with intelligent English travelers just returned from Italy, as well as with Piedmontese and Lombards resident here, that they all agree in considering war as still imminent on the Ticino, notwithstanding all diplomatic appearances and assurances to the contrary. They tell you that an alliance, offensive and defensive, with Piedmont is the price at which Louis Napoleon has purchased the admission of the most disreputable scion of his disreputable stock into the proudest and most ancient of European Royal Houses; and that the poor Iphigenia of this tragedy has not been sacrificed for nothing. They express themselves as assured that there will be no revolutionary rising in Lombardy—not for lack of will, but because the very first condition of it is wanting—the people have no arms. There are Lombard cities of 30,000 population—Mantua for example—in which I am informed that you will not find 10 guns in civilian hands; even all the permissions to carry arms—equivalent to our game licences—have been withdrawn. The real point of danger is said to be in the Duchies, Parma for instance, where the slightest disturbances would lead to an intervention of the Austrain garrison of Placenza, which would be sure to draw on a counter intervention of Piedmont.

The Piedmontese Consul General at Parma has lately been summoned to Turin, and has had interviews with the King and with Cavour, at which he is thought to have received his instructions. Austria's first step in the event of a collision would be to cross the Ticino. She might march straight to Turin, unless met by an equal force in the open field. France, I am confidently assured, could throw 100,000 men into Piedmont in three days. Whatever ground there may be for these anticipations, certain it is that the expectation of war seems rooted in the minds of even moderate and sensible Italians resident here. The grounds of Lombard hatred of Austria are quite as much personal as political. It is, above all, the tremendous pressure of Austrian taxation, amounting to something like confirmation in the case of small properties, and to a reduction to one-half in the case of large ones, that keeps up the settled disaffection among the proprietors and nobles. On the part of the peasantry there was, if not loyalty to Austria, at least an entire absence of hostility, till the increased stringency of the conscription, and the late alterations in the currency and salt duties, have supplied the lower classes also with sources of discontent, which come home to their business and bosoms.

[Reported Expressly for the Louisville Courier.]

POLICE COURT.

GEORGE W. JOHNSTON, JUDGE.

SATURDAY, February 19.

FORGERY.—N. G. Davis, who, on Thursday, was held in $500 to answer for stealing $10 from Catharine Rolf, was presented, charged with forging an order for $7, with the name of F. S. J. Ronald. He passed it off at Frank Madden's book-store for books and valentines. Proof clear, and Davis was committed to answer in default of $500 bail.

DRUNK AND DISORDERLY.—Mary Deally and Ulrich Baker, on the above charge, were held for their better behavior. Mary $100, for one month, and the latter $200, for three months.

VICE VERSA.—The peace warrant sued out by Jno. Howe vs. Tho. E. Maloy, was dismissed at defendant's cost. Maloy then took his warrant out against Howe, who was held in $100.

HOGGISH.—John Moore, for stealing a ham from Watkins, Hunt & Co., was sent to the workhouse six months in default of $500 bail.

MORE YET.—Jas. Moore, who, it will be remembered, was arrested with Loring, the mail robber, was presented as the stealer of a shell box containing a check for $800, and belonging to Miss Rebecca Waters, of the upper faubourg. At the time of his arrest, it was thought he had connection with the robberies charged on Loring, but it seemed from the proof, at all events, that he stole the property of Miss Waters. $800 to answer in indictment for larceny.

Mary Enright was brought in from the workhouse and gave bail.

DECLARATION.—Andrew Roff filed his declaration to become a citizen of the United States.

VENEZUELA.—We have advices of the final completion of the new Constitution of Venezuela, designed to take the place of the system of despotic oppression and one-man, or rather one-family power, introduced by the Monagas family, under democratical pretensions and disguises. This new constitution was finally completed on the 24th of December, after a six months' session of the convention called to frame it. The President to be elected under it is not to assume office till Jan 20, 1860; and meanwhile Gen. Castro, who, though a protege, and formerly a warm partizan of the Monagas family, yet took the lead in its overthrow, has been appointed President *ad interim*, with the command of the army, and, in addition to his other emoluments, a pension for life of $300 a month.

Gen. Paez, who has just arrived in Venezula, was cordially received by Castro, and very enthusiastically by the people—not, however, entirely to the satisfaction of all the parties having a share in the present administration, some of whom were jealous of Paez's pretensions to the Presidency, and fearful of a combination between him and Castro to rule the country. Some recent outbreaks in the interior and in the island of Margarita, the first that have occurred since the deposition of Monagas, give signs of political discontent. It is stated that an amnesty has been proclaimed, extending to all political offenders, except ex-President Jose Tadeo Monagas, who is declared a traitor and perpetually banished. Yet, according to other accounts, some of the connexions or adherents of the Monagas family still remain in prison. Jose Tadeo Monagas is in Trinidad, and as he still has a party in the country, is an object of serious apprehensions.

The new constitution gives to the electors a direct vote by secret ballot. It abolishes the cumbrous old Spanish system of passports, and the old-fashioned criminal procedure, according to which an accused party was obliged to answer interrogatories, with a view thus to obtain evidence against him. Another provision, based on the experience of the county with the Monagas family, is, that no person can be a candidate for the Presidency who stands within four degrees of relationship to the incumbent. This, with the abolition of the Council of State, are the principal changes from the old paper Constitution, which, however, did not prevent the Monagas family from introducing a complete tyranny.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

WASHINGTON GOSSIP.—There is no doubt that Chief Justice Taney will resign before another session of the Supreme Court.

The Democratic members of Congress from the North and West concede the next Presidential nomination to the South.

There will be no more Congressional caucuses. They have done harm, and put it out of the power of the peace-makers in the party to bring about a general concurrence of views on national topics.—*Cor. N. Y. News.*

All Sorts of Paragraphs.

INTERNATIONAL CELEBRATION.—It is proposed that the United States and Canada should unite in the formal remembrance of the capture of Fort Niagara by the united forces of Britain and the Colonies, July 25, 1759, which broke the French domination in this part of the world.

GOLD IN ARKANSAS.—Mr. Jas. K. Murray writes to the Carthage (Mo.) Pioneer, that he has found a gold mine in Montgomery county, Arkansas.—He has visited it three times, and brought away the glittering evidences of his valuable discovery each time. Some particles were found in quartz rock, and some in sand washings.

LORD NAPIER'S GALLANTRIES.—According to the Washington letter writer who first made public scandal about Lord Napier, that functionary is a wholesale "gay deceiver." In a letter he says:

It is currently reported that there is more than one "fair and frail" of our Washington society whom a distinguished diplomat has exercised his peculiar and fascinating powers upon, and whose intimacy with his lordship has not only placed them in an equivocal position, but has materially lowered him in the opinion of our best society.

John W. Farmer, who opened a free dining saloon last winter in New York, has now started another upon a somewhat different plan. He issues tickets which can be given to needy people, and all who call are set to work at some useful labor.

THE BURNS CENTENNIAL IN GREAT BRITAIN.—The Burns Centenary appears to have been celebrated with enthusiasm all over Great Britain.—Some idea may be formed of the number of celebrations which took place in different towns from the statement that the Secretary of the Crystal Palace received about two hundred applications from various local celebration committees for copies of the prize poem. The Centenary was celebrated in London by a banquet at the Guildhall Hotel, Mr. Hanny in the chair.—Fourteen thousand persons attended the Crystal Palace *fete*. The number of poems presented for competition at the Crystal Palace exceeded 600. The successful competitor was apparently a lady, who signed her name "Isa Craig, 22 Ranelagh street, Pimlico, London.

Before long the unfortunate persons who have been so long confined in the prisons of the King of Naples, will be cast as exiles upon the shores of the United States. They have been in the prisons of Naples for ten years.

Congress has passed the bill allowing the widow of Gen. Gaines a pension of $50 per month.

PARAGUAY AND BRAZIL.—The Brazilian mails at Lisbon, bring the news that the Brazilian Government had offered its mediation with Paraguay; that the American Commissioner had accepted the offer; and that the Brazilian Admiral had gone to Paraguay on the mission.

The Missouri and Mississippi, the two great rivers, are united by the iron bands. The first train from Hannibal reached St. Joseph on the evening of the 12th.

Mr. Wood, of the New Orleans True Delta office, recently married a wife, and before the expiration of the honeymoon, drew a quarter of the $50,000 prize in the Havana lottery.

Mr. Parton's researches in Nashville for materials for his biography of Jackson, are, says the Banner, very successful. In two or three days he discovered such a mass of matter that the mere copying involved an expenditure of one hundred and fifty dollars.

MRS. CUNNINGHAM BURDELL SPEAKS.—The N. Y. Post, as we mentioned, dragged Mrs. Cunningham's private concerns into its columns, in a curious and infamous story. Hear how she talks to that paper:

MR. EDITOR: Your paper does me gross injustice by publishing the statement of a young man, which is an untruth, an entire fabrication, which I want you to contradict in your paper instantly, or I will charge you with libel. I never was in the house you speak of in my life. Will you do so? and oblige EMMA A. BURDELL.

Dr. L. P. Brocknett, a bookseller, of Hartford, Conn., a professing Christian, has been arrested for forgery. $20,000 of the forged paper has already come to light.

Among the personal topics of Washington society just now are three fashionable weddings, all to take place within a month, viz: Mr. Eustis, M. C. from Louisiana, to Miss Corcoran, of Washington, daughter of the banker, already widely published; Mr. Riggs, of Washington, to Miss Bright, daughter of the Senator from Indiana; Mr. Baylor of Alabama, to Miss Gwin, daughter of the Senator from California.

The Ohio Legislature has repealed the ten per cent. interest law, and goes back to six per cent.

HOG CHOLERA.—The ravages of this disease has been very fatal in our county, in the last few weeks. Some farmers have lost as high as two hundred. Others have not lost so many, but all they had. One of our farmers and stock raisers has lost in the last year and a half between six and seven thousand dollars worth of hogs by this fearful disease.—*Mt. Sterling (Ky.) Whig.*

INDIGNATION AMONG THE CATHOLICS.—Considerable indignation has been excited among the French Catholics of Richmond, Virginia, by the conduct of Bishop McGill, relative to the interment of Mrs. Duquesne, a member of his church. The Bishop refused to permit the body of the deceased to enter the church for the usual funeral rites, unless her husband first secured for her remains a burial place in the Roman Catholic burying ground, which he declined to do. The deceased was subsequently interred at Shockoe Hill Cemetery, the Rev. J. L. Burroughs, a Baptist clergyman, officiating.

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LOUISVILLE:
MONDAY,........FEBRUARY 21, 1859.

Italy and Her Neighbors—Sinews of War.

In the days of the Cæsars Italy was bounded on the north by the Alps, on the east by the Adriatic, on the south by the Ionian, and on the west by the Mediterranean sea. The territory embraced within these limits made an area of 118,356 square miles, equal to three such States as Kentucky. Her people carried their victorious arms into every known land, and ruled in Europe, Asia, and Africa, with the pen and the sword. It was the garden of the world, the eye of the nations, the sovereign of sovereignties.

In these days of her glory, Italy, extending from the Alps on the north to the Ionian sea on the south, and from the Adriatic on the east to the Mediterranean on the west, was one country, ruled by one people. It was then in the zenith of Roman fame, and the historian Pliny estimated its extreme length from Augusta Prætoria, at the foot of the Alps, to Rhegium on the straits of Messina, at 1,020 miles, and its greatest breadth from the mouth of the Arsia, on the east, to that of the Varus, on the west, at 410 miles. The same writer puts down its population at 14,000,000, among whom were the poets, the orators, the historians, the philosophers, the statesmen, and the soldiers, whose fame will forever fill the world.

The Italy of the Cæsars, however, is now but a name. The same noble country is there, and the same sun, and moon, and stars, and deep blue sky, look down upon it from the eternal snows of Mont Blanc to the warm wave of Messina, and from the Mare Supernum to the mighty Mediterranean; but all else is changed. The people who dwell in her cities, and cultivate her fields, are no longer bound together by a common national tie. The centuries which have passed since the Illyrians, the Veneti, the Etrurians, the Greeks, and finally the Gauls joined the aboriginal Itali, to make up a common Latin race and tongue, have wrought mighty changes, and the centuries which are to come will bring about others. The generous soil and kind climate of the Peninsula have ever made it the prey of rival nations, and forever will. It has been under more rulers than any country on the globe, but its number of masters is not yet completed. The future has more than one rod of empire for the country that has ruled the world, and this history of the ruler of nations will not be closed until the nations have in turn ruled her.

The present state of things in Europe indicates that France, Austria and Sardinia, are struggling for empire in Italy. Napoleon III remembers that Napoleon I brought all of Italy under France during the first empire, and that all was lost in 1814. He has therefore consummated a marriage between the Prince Napoleon, a fifty year old *blase*, and the Princess Chiotilde, the fifteen year old child of the King of Sardinia. Victor Emanuel has no son who can inherit his throne, and as the Salic law is in force in his kingdom, his daughter cannot wear the crown of Sardinia. It is possible, therefore, that the understanding between the Emperor of France, the King of Sardinia, and the Prince Napoleon, is that the latter shall inherit the throne of Sardinia. Such being the fact, there are reasons for Sardinia, France and Austria to contend for dominion in Italy—the first to embody all the different divisions of Italy into one grand kingdom, as of old; the second to regain for the Napoleon family the empire once acquired by its founder; and the third to hold on to present possessions, if not to acquire others in the Peninsula. And if such are the designs and the understandings of these powers, it will be interesting to note the sinews of war with which they will begin operations. The following statistics, as to the military power of these rival countries, show that Italy will stand no chance, in her present dismembered state, and indicate that the other powers will have things their own way, if no outsider, such as Russia, Prussia, or England, shall interfere.

In 1854, the army of France consisted of 371,244 infantry, 71,031 cavalry, and 58,972 artillery, making in all 401,247. Since that time, the total number has been increased to near $600,000. At the same time, her navy consisted of 53 ships of the line, carrying 5,096 guns; 58 frigates, carrying 3,955 guns; 39 corvettes, carrying 868 guns, and 140 other vessels, carrying nearly 2,000 guns, making an aggregate of 290 vessels, carrying 11,733 guns. She also had a steam fleet, consisting of 3 ships of the line, 20 frigates, 30 corvettes, and 64 other vessels—in all 117, with an enrolled naval force of 100,000 men, besides 12,000 marines. Since that time she has built 150 steam vessels, thereby making the total number of her steamers 267—nearly equal to her sailing vessels. To sustain such an army and navy, France has a population of 35,779,222, and an annual revenue of $267,683,620, with unlimited credit in the money market of the world.

Sardinia has an army of 140,000 men, and a navy consisting of 60 vessels carrying 900 guns. Her population is only 5,090,245, and her annual revenue about $25,000,000. She is a small power when taken alone, but when joined to France becomes mighty. Her army and navy would swell the fighting force of France to nearly 900,000 men, her navy to 620 vessels, her population to 40,000,000 and her annual revenue near $300,000,000. This would be the military force to contend with Austria for dominion in Italy. Let us then see how stands the war power of the latter country.

The population of Austria in 1854 was 36,514,466. If that of the Crown lands be added, the total would be about 48,000,000. Her standing army in time of peace numbers 414,000 men, and in time of war is increased to 639,659. Her navy consists of 6 frigates, 5 corvettes, 7 brigs, 66 smaller vessels, 11 steamers, and 9 gun boats; in all 104 vessels, carrying 742 guns. The annual revenue of this empire is $117,950,000.

It is evident, then, that if these three powers get to fighting about Italy, there will be terrible battles fought. The superior discipline of the French army, however, and the colossal navy at the command of Napoleon, leaves but little doubt as to which power could conquer. There is no telling, however, what might happen if all Italy should join Austria in such a conflict. As a matter of course Italy would stand no chance against the armies of either France or Austria, but if she should rise as in days of yore and join Austria, Napoleon would find his hands full.

Leaving Sardinia out of the estimate, the population of Italy would be about 20,000,000. This, however, is not an united, but rather an antagonistic, population. Instead of being under the command of a single sovereign, as in the days of the Cæsars, it is divided out under half a dozen Austrian-Italy, or the Lombardo-Venetian Kingdom, contains 5,000,000, the Kingdom of Naples 9,000,000, the Pontifical States 3,000,000 the Grand Duchy of Tuscany 2,000,000, the Duchies of Parma and Modena 2,000,000, the Republic of San Marino 8,000, and the Principality of Monaco about the same number. It requires all these Kingdoms, Pontificates, Duchies, Republics, and Principalities, to make up Italy, and some of them are as hostile to one another as to any foreign power. It is not probable, therefore, that they would unite and fight as the old Romans did, in a common cause against a common foe.—King Bomba would demand one thing for Naples, Pius IX another for the Pontifical States, Ferdinand another for the Grand Duchy of Tuscany, the Dukes of Parma and Modena another for their Duchies, while the little Republic of San Marino and the Principality of Monaco would not be likely to agree with the policy of Lombardo-Venitia. France, moreover, has already a foothold in Rome, while Austria occupies Lombardy and Venice, and Sardinia is really a portion of the Peninsula. Under such circumstances it would be difficult for the Italians to determine which of the three powers they loved least or hated most—especially while they saw that each of them was trying to whip out the other and get the entire control of the country.

With the exception of the King of Sardinia and the Emperor of Austria, who hold the North of Italy, the other petty sovereigns who possess the remainder of the empire of the Cæsars can't raise a war-making revenue, nor muster a respectable European army, nor float a commanding navy.—Naples, occupying the Southern portion, has a revenue of $20,000,000, an army of 106,000, and a navy of 40 vessels, manned by 6,000 sailors, and carrying six hundred guns The Papal States in the center have a revenue of $12,000,000, an army of 17,000, and a navy of two steamers and a few small vessels. The Grand Duhcy of Tuscany and the Duchies of Parma and Modena, all together, have a revenue of $8,000,000, an army of 25,000, and a navy of about 30 vessels, of an inferior size and character. The total revenue of Italy (Austrian and Sardinian Italy excepted) may therefore be put down at $40,000,000, its army at 148,000, and its navy at 80 vessels, poorly manned, and bearing only a few guns of an inferior size and quality.

We have thus gone over the military power of Italy, and her immediate though unneighborly neighbors.

It is evident that if they fight, there will be no child's play upon the tented field. It is equally evident that while they are at war, France can have but little to say about the United States and Cuba. Napoleon's hands will be full while coping with Austria; and England, Prussia and Russia will have enough to do to watch the progress of battle at home, without prying into what we are about over here in regard to Cuba.

Presidential—The Hon. James Guthrie.

The New Orleans Delta, of the 11th inst., has the following editorial in relation to our distinguished fellow-citizen, the Hon. James Guthrie, and the Presidency in 1860.

The name of James Guthrie, of Kentucky, has become quite prominent in the list of those whose fitness for the nomination at Charleston is beginning to be discussed by the politicians and the people. It is a name, however, which has more attractions to the latter than the former. Mr. Guthrie's administration of the Federal Treasury, always acknowledged to be of the most satisfactory and successful in the history of the Republic, has derived additional consequence and luster from the troubles and embarrassments that have possessed that department of the Government almost from the day he left it. We do not say, and do not believe, that these embarrassments are due to the present Administration, or that they could have been prevented by Mr. Guthrie, but some how or other the idea has taken strong hold upon the minds of the people that his skill, grasp of mind, admirable judgment and inflexible firmness, constitute such a rare combination of high qualities as would render his restoration to high Executive trust a great boon to the country. Mr. Guthrie is certainly a man such as our republic need in the present disordered condition of its finances.

Always and everywhere will James Guthrie be a leader, with the qualities of a leader. He is a self-made man, of great natural powers—strong, massive, granitic—he has graduated in that school which gives the best diplomas of capacity for high responsibilities in a Government like ours—the school of self-reliance—of constant effort, labor and intercourse with the hardy men who have built up the great West—the best type of the American race.

The Valley of the Mississippi has claims to the Presidency which it will be perilous for the nation and the Democracy to ignore, or treat otherwise than with careful deliberation and profound respect. It is very doubtful if the safety of the Democracy in its present perplexities does not lie in that great section. The growing tendency of the Atlantic seaboard to a timid and conservative policy is weakening the strongest ligaments which have hitherto held the Democracy together. When such a tendency predominates, the decline of the party will be as precipitate and complete as its rise heretofore has been rapid and its stability firm.

In this view, and without disparagement of other strong names that have been presented to the people, and without the slightest desire or intent to mingle in a strife of men for the prize which will be so warmly contested at Charleston a year hence, we cannot refrain from expressing our conviction that the late Secretary of the Treasury will present pretensions that will challenge a thorough canvass and engage the earnest support of many of the most judicious and sagacious of the Democracy.

THE NEW ORLEANS MURDER.—Fuentes, who murdered his mistress, Maria Rodriguez and escaped, was subsequently captured. The Picayune gives this account of his confronting her:

She was then asked whether she could recognize the man who had wounded her, and replying in the affirmative, was told to look around, and see if he was in the crowd. She gazed listlessly from face to face, until she reached the culprit, who stood there, silent and collected, though ashy pale. The expressive eyes of the dying woman fixed themselves on that face, and we could read the mingled emotions of fear, love and regret, moistening those brilliant orbs. She said 'twas the man, and his name Jose Maria Dolores de Fuentes.

The man himself questioned her, asking her whether he had inflicted all those wounds. "O, Fuentes," she exclaimed, "let your own heart answer, you cut my throat and struck my head against the door; that is all I recollect, for I fell senseless. I do not say that you used a hatchet, for the blow against the door stunned me. But I never gave you cause for this, Pepe; I never did anything against you."

When the prisoner was being taken away, she called out to him, "I made no complaint against you, Pepe; the Recorder came to question me and I had to tell the truth," and she again repeated these words to the clerk, asking him to tell Fuentes that she had no ill-feeling against him.

Time fails us to give an idea of the distressing scene, which brought tears to many an eye.

☞ It will be recollected that the Commissioner of Patents, a short time since, overruled the application of Mr. McCormick for an extension of his patent on reaping machines. He has written out at length his reasons for refusing a renewal. The patentee realized from his patents of 1845 and 1847 the sum of $1,297,915, which the Commissioner considers ample compensation for the ingenuity and trouble expended, taking into consideration the fact that the great feature of the patent of 1847—the reaper's seat—is still the property of Mr. McCormick, and can be used only subject to his terms.

AFRED MARKS, Esq., says: "My wife has been sorely afflicted with Dyspepsia for the last year. During this time, she had used so many medicines which seemed to aggravate rather than remove the disease, that we almost despaired of her recovery. Living in the country, she enjoyed all the advantages of pure air and exercise, yet each day she seemed to be more enfeebled. With some difficulty, I persuaded her to take your Holland Bitters, which, I am happy to state, has completely cured her."

DIED,

On the 14th Feb., 1859, at the residence of Mrs. Mulholland, in Elizabethtown, Ky., MARY HALL, infant daughter of Wm. T. and Kate K. Samuels.

On the 19th inst., at 2 o'clock P. M., Mrs. CARRIE WARD, consort of Wm. M. Ward.

The friends and acquaintances of the family are invited to attend the funeral, from the family residence, on Second street, between Chestnut and Broadway, on Monday morning, 21st inst., at 10 o'clock A. M.

GROVER & BAKER'S
CELEBRATED
FAMILY SEWING MACHINES,
495 Broadway, New York.
97 Fourth street, Louisville.

A NEW STYLE. PRICE $50.
HEMMERS $5 EXTRA.

THIS Machine sews from two spools, as purchased from the store, requiring no rewinding of thread; it Hems, Fells, Gathers, and Stitches in a superior style, finishing each seam by its own operation, without recourse to the hand-needle, as is required by other machines. It will do better and cheaper sewing than a seamstress can, even if she works for *one cent an hour*.
☞ SEND FOR A CIRCULAR.
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SINGER'S
Sewing Machines!
Important to the Public!

A NEW FAMILY SEWING MACHINE, with the latest improvements, at the low price of FIFTY DOLLARS. The price of the Standard Machines has been greatly reduced.

SINGER'S SEWING MACHINES,
It is well known, though higher in price, have always been cheaper in fact, when taken into consideration that they will do all kinds of Sewing. The prices are greatly reduced. Call and see them.
WM. MALONE, Agent,
Jefferson st., bet. Third and Fourth, north side, next to Needham's Marble Warerooms.
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NOTICES.

☞ A choice and extensive stock of Spring and Summer Foreign and Domestic Dry Goods, such as Black Silks, two Valantes Robes, two Jupe Robes, Bayadere, Chena Silk, Grenadine Robes, (something entirely new in style,) Berage and Organdie Robes, Plaid Berage, Ducale Cloth, Valencia Lace, Pompadours, Piccolomini Collars, Illusion Berthas, Jaconet, Swiss and Lace Setts, Percals, Chintz, and Cambric, Kid Gloves and Gauntlets, Piccolomini and Mary Queen Skirts, Silk Mantle Shawls, Stella and Berage Shawls, a large assortment of Linen Goods, Farmer's Drilling, Plaid Cotton Osnaburgs, etc., all of which will be offered at the lowest market prices at
G. B. TABB'S,
feb19 dtf Corner Fourth and Market streets.

☞ We would advise all of our readers who are in want of boots and shoes, to call on Samuel L. Lee, No. 449 Market street, second door above Fourth. He has a complete assortment of men's, ladies', misses' and children's boots, shoes and gaiters, which he will sell as cheap as any other house in the city. Give him a call and satisfy yourselves. f16 12

NEW SPRING DRY GOODS.—We must call the attention of our lady friends to the splendid assortment of elegant Silks, etc., now being daily received by Martin & Penton, 96 Fourth street, between Market and Jefferson. They have on hand choice Robes, Bayaderes, and plain Silks of the newest designs, heavy mourning and plain Black Silks, Shawls, Embroideries, Alexander's Ladies' and Misses' Kid Gloves, Chints and Prints, Mourning Goods, Traveling Material, Illusion and Tarltons of all colors, white and colored Silks and Satins, White Goods, Ducale, Cavella, Fourlards, India Silks, cheap Handkerchiefs, Servant's Goods, Domestics, and in fact, almost everything needed at this and the approaching seasons. Give them a call—96 Fourth street. feb12

A STAPLE ARTICLE.—We would call the attention of our friends to the following:
HAVERHILL, Mass., Feb. 7, 1857.
Dear Sir: Permit me the pleasure of stating to you the gratification I have in vending, and the universal favor Hoofland's German Bitters meet with, by nearly every person who has had occasion to test their virtues in this vicinity. This establishment has had the Agency of your Medicine since 1853, and I can safely say, there has been no remedy placed before the public within the scope of my knowledge that has met so much general favor and so worthily as the German Bitters. I have no hesitation in recommending them to our customers, suffering with diseases for which they are appropriate, feeling confident from past experience that they will do all, and *even more*, than is promised of them. In Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint, I *defy an equal*. To Druggists I can recommend them as a safe investment, and to the public as a truly worthy remedy.
CHAS. B. EMERSON.
To Dr. C. M. JACKSON.
These Bitters can be had of any druggist or dealer in medicines in the United States, Canadas, West Indies, or South America, at 75 cents per bottle. They are prepared by Dr. C. M. Jackson, 418 Arch street, Philadelphia, Pa., and every bottle has his signature on the wapper.
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☞ For all kinds of doors, blinds, sash, frames, mantles, base, architraves, pilasters, mouldings, sash, primed and glazed, boxes, yellow and white pine flooring, steamboat decking, shelving, lumber, dressed and undressed, weather-boarding, etc., etc. Also all kinds of dressing, ripping, spliting, scoll-sawing, etc., done to order with neatness and dispatch at the lowest cash prices. Call at the Clay-street Plaining Mill, on Clay street, near the river, Louisville, Ky.
H. McCLARAN & CO.
N. B.—All lumber used in the manufactory kiln dried. jan22 d1y

☞ Ladies and gentlemen making purchases of books and stationery will not overlook Hagan's book store, on Main street. Their peculiar manner in disposing of books, etc., by presenting each purchaser with a premium in gold and silver jewelry, attracts universal attention. Quick sales and short profits is their motto. Universal satisfaction given, and 50 to 500 per cent. saved.
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MONEY LOANED.—Ladies or gentlemen requiring loans of any amount on Diamonds, Plate, etc., can be accommodated by applying at the Exchange office, 53 Third street, next door to the Courier office.

Tickets in the Shelby College and Havana-plan Lotteries for sale, or forwarded to any address.—Prizes cashed. Office private.

Business prompt, honorable, and strictly confidential. [sept16 d1y] A. BLAND.

GEO. R. PATTEN.........................W. H. C. DRYDEN
PATTEN & DRYDEN,
COMMISSION MERCHANTS
AND
FEED AND PRODUCE DEALERS.
No. 83 Third street, bet. Main and the River,
LOUISVILLE, KY.
☞ Personal attention given to the sale of Hay, Grain, Dried Fruits, Butter, Eggs, Onions, Apples, Potatoes, Flour, Bacon, Lard, &c.
☞ Orders for Groceries, Liquors and Manufactured Articles, solicited and filled on the most favorable terms.
☞ Liberal cash advances made on consignments.
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PIANOS! PIANOS!!
AT
NO. 109 FOURTH ST.,
Adjoining Durkee, Heath & Co.'s Dry Goods Store,
LOUISVILLE, KY.
WE ARE NOW RECEIVING a large assortment of the BEST PIANOS ever brought to this market, which we will sell VERY LOW FOR CASH IN HAND.
We are also receiving our Spring Stock of MUSIC AND MUSICAL MERCHANDISE of every description, to which we would call the attention of DEALERS, TEACHERS, and SCHOOLS, as well as all others in want of anything in the Music line.
TRIPP & CRAGG,
Importers, Wholesale and Retail, in Musical Goods,
feb21 dtf and Publishers of Sheet Music.

CARRIAGES! CARRIAGES!
SPRING STOCK.
I. F. STONE,
No. 609 Main st., one square above the Galt House,
LOUISVILLE, KY.,
Would inform the public and his old customers that he is now receiving his spring stock of
CARRIAGES,
Consisting in part of—
Coaches, Slide-seat, extra top Buggies;
Calashes, Top do,
Bretts, No top do,
Rockaways of all sizes; Trotting do;
Rockaway Buggies; Spring Wagons, &c.
All of which he will warrant equal in style, finish and durability, to any either sold East or West.
Purchasers may always rely on finding a large and complete stock to select from.
All of which will be sold low for cash or good paper.
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BRYANT, HARRIS & BARBEE,
JOBBERS OF
DOMESTIC & VARIETY GOODS,
423 MAIN STREET,
LOUISVILLE, KENTUCKY.
WE are now receiving our NEW SPRING STOCK, which comprises a great variety of desirable Goods, and to which we invite the attention of buyers.
BRYANT, HARRIS & BARBEE.
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GEORGE F. BARTH,
(SUCCESSOR TO SLEDDON & CO.,)
DRUGGIST AND CHEMIST,
Northeast corner of Fifth and Market streets.
HAVING taken the above stand, I would respectfully solicit a share of public patronage.
☞ Medical Prescriptions promptly and carefully put up.
☞ Keep constantly on hand a large stock of Drugs, Medicines, Perfumeries, Dye Stuffs, Paints, Varnishes, Window Glass, Fancy Articles, &c. jan1 d6m

LOUISVILLE WHITE LEAD AND LINSEED OIL WORKS.
HAVING lately made some improvements in the manufacture of our white lead, we now offer to the trade our several brands of that article, which we warrant to be equal in quality to any made either East or West.
As we have every facility for obtaining our supplies of the raw material and for manufacturing the same, we are pepared to offer our articles on as good terms as any other manufacturer in the West.
We have now on hand and for sale;
5,000 kegs White Lead;
400 bbls Linseed Oil;
10 " Boiled "
25 " Putty;
10 tons Zinc White in oil;
50 bbls French Zinc, dry;
100 " American Zinc, dry;
10 tons Bar Lead;
WATERS & FOX.
☞ Our attention has been called to an article of White Lead which is represented as being made in this city, and is branded "Premium Pure Falls City." As we are the only manufacturers of Lead *in* this city, we will say that the said Lead is *not* made here. But those wanting that quality of Lead we can supply with an article equal in every respect to the above brand of Lead at a price 20 per cent below that of the *so-called* manufacturers of that article. W. & F.
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LOST.
IN the vicinity of Louisville, a large gold pencil with a pen, with the name of M. O. Johnson on a small space lengthwise. Upon one of the bands the initials G. W. S. Any person who will obtain the same and deliver it either at the Courier office or at the bar of the Louisville Hotel, will be amply rewarded. feb d1&w3-9

THIRD ARRIVAL BY EXPRESS OF
Spring Silks!
WE are this morning in receipt of another invoice of superior styles of
Spring Silks, Lawns and Jaconets;
Superb double Jupe Robes;
Obene Bayadere stripe Silks;
Solid colors do do;
Black do do;
Fancy Plaid and Stripe do;
Solid colors Silks, in every color;
Best brands of Black Silks, very cheap;
50 pieces Marcelline Silks, all colors;
100 pieces Foulard Silks, very cheap;
With many other Novelties suitable for the Spring Trade.
DURKEE, HEATH & CO.,
107 Fourth street, between Market and Jefferson.
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LOST.
ON Wednesday afternoon, as the members of the steam fire engine "E D. Weatherford" were exercising their horses, a breast chain with a valuable snap-hook, was lost. The finder will confer a favor by leaving it at the First Ward Engine House. feb21 d1

CLOVER SEED.
125 BBLS fine Seed in store and for sale at my Reaper and Seed Warehouse, 371 and 373 Main street, near Louisville Hotel.
feb21 d3&w3-9 H. B HOWARD.

OATS.
1,000 BUSHELS prime Old Oats (growth of 1857) for sale. H. B. HOWARD.
feb21 d3&w3-9

POTATOES.
200 BBLS White Neshanock Potatoes in store and for sale by H. B. HOWARD.
feb21 d3&w3-9

GARDEN SEEDS.
50,000 PAPERS fresh and genuine, in quantities to suit purchasers. H. B. HOWARD.
feb21 d3&w3-9

ON SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 26, we will introduce to the public our LOUISVILLE SPRING STYLE MOLESKIN DRESS HAT for 1859. We are now receiving orders for same.
PRATHER & SMITH, 455 Main street,
feb21 between Fourth and Fifth.

STAR CANDLES—
500 boxes "Thomas Emory & Son's" No. 1 Star Candles;
100 boxes E. Hoover & Co.'s Star Candles.
Having the agency of the above brand of Candles, we offer them at wholesale only, and as low as the manufacturers in this market sell. The Candles are of superior quality.
Orders respectfully solicited for cash or time purchasers. Liberal discount made for cash
JNO. B McILVAIN & SON, No. 882 Main st.,
feb21 one door below Seventh

RIVER-SIDE NURSERIES.
The stock of Fruit and Ornamental Trees in these Nurseries is very full this spring, and embraces all the most approved varieties of Apple, Pear, Peach, &c., &c. Orders left at any of the Seed Stores in Louisville, or directed to me through the Postoffice, will be promptly attended to.
Catalogues to be had on application to the Seed Stores or to me. feb21 d3 ORMSBY HITE.

NEW STYLE PRINTS—150 cases new style Prints received and for sale by
feb21 BRYANT, HARRIS & BARBEE.

BROWN SHIRTINGS—50 bales fine Brown Shirtings received and for sale by
feb21 BRYANT, HARRIS & BARBEE.

LINEN SHIRT FRONTS—500 dozen Linen Shirt Fronts received and for sale by
feb21 BRYANT, HARRIS & BARBEE.

SUGAR—50 hhds prime Sugar landed per steamer John Raine and for sale by
ANDREW BUCHANAN & CO.,
feb21 corner Second and Washington streets.

ON SATURDAY, THE 26TH OF February, we will introduce the New York Spring Style Dress Hat for 1859.
feb21 PRATHER & SMITH, No. 455 Main street.

ON SATURDAY, THE 26TH OF February, we will introduce the French Style of Dress Hat for 1859.
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ON SATURDAY, THE 26TH of February, we will introduce several new styles of Mens' and Boys' Soft Hats, and Cloth and Scotch Caps.
PRATHER & SMITH'S, 455 Main st.,
feb21 between Fourth and Fourth.

T. C. HITE.......G. W. SMALL.......J. P. MARSHAL
LARGE ARRIVALS OF NEW SPRING CARPETS, CURTAINS, &c.
HITE & SMALL,
499 south side Main street, between Third and Fourth,
INVITE special attention to their large stock of Spring Carpeting and Furnishing Goods, which they have been receiving (for a month past) direct from the importers and manufacturers, the latest and handsomest styles in
Rich English Brussels;
Crossley's superb Tapestry;
Do Royal Velvet;
Imperial Three Ply;
Scotch Ingrain;
All grades Two Ply, Cotton, Venitian And Hemp;
Rugs, Mats;
Cocoa and India Matting;
Several new styles Floor Oil Cloths;
Handsome Lace Curtains;
Cornices, Bands, Gimps, And Drapery Tassels;
All grades Curtain Damasks;
New style Damask Wine Cloth;
And all kinds of Housefurnishing Goods, which were purchased before the advance, and which we shall continue to sell at our usually low prices.
HITE & SMALL, 499 Main street, south side,
feb21 three doors west Bank of Louisville

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION
OF THE
Peoria Marine and Fire Insurance Company,
Of Peria, Illinois.
FEBRUARY 1st, 1859.

Amount of its Capital Stock	$500,000
" " " paid up	300,000
THE ASSETS OF THE COMPANY ARE	
Cash on hand and in the hands of agents	$29,005 90
Real Estate unencumbered	8,315 00
Bonds owned by the Company drawing 10 per cent	22,700 00
Loans secured by mortgage of real estate, worth double the amount loaned thereon, drawing 12 per cent. interest	113,643 71
All other securities, consisting of discounted bills, notes, drafts and acceptances maturing daily, having from sight to ninety days from date to run, drawing 12 per cent. interest	178,291 63
Total assets	$352,556 24
LIABILITIES.	
Amount due or not due to Banks or other creditors of the Company	$3,500
Losses adjusted and due	none
" " " not due	1,000
" unadjusted	none.
" in suspense and waiting further proof	2,500
All other claims against the company	none.

ISAAC UNDERHILL, Pres't.
CHAS. HOLLAND, Sec'y.

TO THE PUBLIC.

I CALL attention to the notice of the Peoria Insurance Company from the Chicago Daily Press and Tribune, which notice was voluntary on the part of the editors, who know what they say to be true. Such evidence must put to blush the petty malice aimed at the Peoria Insurance Company by some malicious slanderers of our city. The Company has a paid capital of $300,000, and a surplus of $52,000. This sorely is a sufficient guaranty to all who will insure. Its business is very large and reliable. Reference to the only loss in Louisville for the last 12 months in the card of Wm. Musselman. I hereby invite those who want insurance to give me a call. The agency is now under the control of the underwriters of this city, but free and untrammelled. Risks taken on my own judgment, and if any loss occurs, it will be paid promptly. Marine policies issued and 10 per cent. premium retained on all insurance, to be settled by note every six months.
JNO. B. McILVAINE,
Agent of the Peoria Fire and Marine Ins Co.
At the office of J. B. McIlvaine & Son, No. 382 Main street, 1 door below Seventh.
LOUISVILLE, Feb. 21, 1859.

A CARD.

OUR tobacco factory was very near being destroyed by fire on the night of the 7th of January, on Main, near Ninth streets. The roof being partially burned, our boxes under press were removed in the street, and were partially damaged by the water and rough handling of the boxes. Mr. J. B. McIlvaine, the agent of the Peoria Insurance Company, came very promptly and ordered the roof to be repaired, &c. Arbitrators were mutually chosen, the damages satisfactorily arranged, and he has this day paid the damages in full, allowing claims for labor in protecting the house from the flames, and for removing the stock out and back into the house. And with promptness on the part of the agent, and on the part of the company in paying losses, I hope to see the Peoria office succeed to a good share of business in our city.
WILLIAM MUSSELMAN.
LOUISVILLE, January 20, 1859.

[From the Chicago Daily Free Press and Tribune, Feb. 12th, 1859.]

THE PEORIA MARINE AND FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.—It is with pride and pleasure that we ask the attention of our readers to the statement of this company in our columns this morning. It is the first detailed exhibit of the condition of any home company that we have ever seen, and compares most favorably with the statements of the best Eastern companies. Such an array of assets, amounting in all to $352,556 24, shows most conclusively that we have a company in our own State, as sound and as well managed as any other, no matter where located. As it regards its promptness and liberality in the settlement of its losses, no company has a better reputation. The Peoria Company is doing business in most of the Western and Southern States, including Wisconsin, Michigan, Indiana, Missouri and Kentucky, where it is obliged to file an annual statement of its condition and to comply with the same laws that are required of all Eastern companies. The fact that the company can comply with the laws of those States, which are regarded as very onerous by many companies, shows that it has the necessary capital, and as available assets as any other company, being subjected to the same provisions.

The Officers and Directors of this company are men of tried experience and unblemished integrity, and the success of the company proves that they have the requisite ability to manage the affairs of such an institution. One peculiar feature in this company, which places its stability and permanency beyond a doubt, is, that by provision of its charter, if by any means the capital of $300,000 should become impaired a single dollar, and should any policy be issued thereafter, the Directors render themselves personally liable for any loss that may occur.—As the Directors would not care to incur such a responsibility, and even if they did, as their aggregate wealth is quite large, the policy holders have an extra protection and safety by this provision of the Charter, which exists in but few if in any other company. Under the excellent supervision of J. Augustus Wright, its efficient and enterprising agent in this city, the company has done a large and very prosperous business the past season, and we trust and believe it will be still increased from year to year. We are decidedly in favor of patronizing our own companies when we know them to be sound and well managed like the "Peoria." We have had insurance in the Peoria Company for several years, so that we practice what we preach, and we cordially commend it to our friends and fellow-citizens generally.
feb21 dtf

EPISCOPAL SUNDAY SCHOOL BOOKS
QUESTIONS on Genesis—Part 1st, 2d and 3d;
Do on Matthew—Part 1st, 2d and 3d;
Questions on Acts of the Apostles—Part 1st, 2d, 3d;
Jackson's Questions—Part 1st, 2d, 3d;
Liturgy's Psalms and Hymns;
Bevan's Help to Catechising;
Burgess' Catechism of the Church Catechism;
Sunday School Library Books;
Lives of the Bishops;
Sword's Pocket Almanac, 1859;
Parish List of all the Churches in the United States.
feb19 JOHN W. CLARKE'S, Mozart Hall.

NEW ENGLAND
FIRE AND MARINE
Insurance Company,
OF HARTFORD, CONN.
CASH CAPITAL..........ALL PAID IN.

GEO. D. JEWETT, Secretary.
NATHAN M. WATERMAN, President.
Policies of Insurance against loss or damage by fire, on most kinds of Property, at fair rates, by
W. S. VERNON & SONS..............Agents.
NO. 494 MAIN STREET.

STATEMENT OF CONDITION,
JANUARY 1, 1859.
Cash Capital and Surplus, $206,295 69.

ASSETS.

100 Shares Bank of Commerce Stock, N. Y.	$10,400 00
50 " Bank of State of N. Y. " "	5,100 00
50 " Bank of New York " "	5,500 00
50 " American Enc'ge Bank Stock, N. Y.	5,300 00
100 " Continental " "	10,400 00
100 " Park " "	10,900 00
50 " Metropolitan " "	5,600 00
50 " Bank of Commerce Stock, Boston,	5,225 00
100 " Ætna Bank Stock, Hartford	10,500 00
15 " Rockville Bank Stock, Rockville	1,545 00
Am't loaned on Mortgages of R. E., first lien,	37,500 00
" " on pledge of Bank Stocks	20,930 00
" " on other approved Stocks	2,800 00
" " on approved Personal Securities,	67,250 00
Cash on hand and in Bank	4,227 68
Amount due from Agents	1,081 01
Accrued Interest, &c	1,517 00
Total Assets	$206,295 69

LIABILITIES—NONE.
W. S. VERNON & SONS, Agents,
feb5 dtf No. 494 Main street.

WHISKY—
150 bbls "Extra" Rectified Whisky;
75 do double Extra do;
100 bbls Copper-distilled do;
50 bbls 2 years old Bourbon do;
50 bbls 3 do do do;
65 do old Rye do;
In store and for sale by
feb21 MARSHALL HALBERT & CO.

FRENCH BRANDY—
10 ¼ pipes La Rochelle Brandy;
20 ¼ do Otard, Dupuy & Co., Brandy;
40 ¼ do A. Signette do;
In store and for sale by
feb21 MARSHALL HALBERT & CO.

WINE—
20 ¼ casks Port Wine;
10 ¼ do Madeira Wine;
15 ¼ do Sherry do;
30 bbls Malaga Wine;
In store and for sale by
feb21 MARSHALL HALBERT & CO.

CHAMPAGNE—25 baskets Heidsick's Champagne in store and for sale by
feb21 MARSHALL HALBERT & CO

BRANDY—
150 casks Cognac Brandy;
15 do Champagne Brandy;
In store and for sale by
feb21 MARSHALL HALBERT & CO.

CIGARS—
100 boxes Havana Sixes Cigars;
50 do Half Spanish do;
2 cases Estrella do;
2 do Columbia do;
1 do Washington do;
In store and for sale by
feb21 MARSHALL HALBERT & CO.

LA PLATA—The Argentine Confederation, at CLARKE'S.
The Laird of Norlaw, by author of Margaret Maitland; at CLARKE'S.
Epesidos of French History, by Miss Pardoe; at CLARKE'S.
Arago's Biographies of Distinguished Men; at CLARKE'S.
Scouring of The White Horse; at
feb19 CLARKE'S, Mozart Hall.

HATS AND CAPS.
We have received a lot of fine
FRENCH FELT HATS,
Also some new styles of
CLOTH AND SCOTCH CAPS.
PRATHER & SMITH, 455 Main street,
feb19 between Fourth and Fifth.

PREMIUM GUM BELTING—Of which a medal was awarded at the United States Agricultural Fair—will be sold lower than any other Belting in the State. A large stock always on hand at the old established Clothing Stand of
GEORGE BLANCHARD & SON,
Sign of the Golden Hand, opposite Galt House,
feb19 Southwest corner Second and Main streets

GUM GOODS—Just received per express, a superior lot of Horse Covers. Also, Gutta Percha and Gum Clothing in all its varieties. For sale low by
GEO. BLANCHARD & SON,
Southwest corner Second and Main streets,
feb19 opposite the Galt House.

CHARLES FRODSHAM'S
CHRONOMETER WATCHES.
Boston, November 27, 1858.
WE hereby constitute Messrs. JOHN KITTS & CO. Sole and Exclusive Agents for the sale of the Watches made by Charles Frodsham, 84 Strand, London, for the city of Louisville and State of Kentucky.
S. WILLARD & SON, 9 Congress st.,
Sole Agents for the United States.

CHARLES FRODSHAM'S WATCHES.
SIMON WILLARD & SON,
No. 9 Congress Street, Boston,
Sole Agents in the United States of America of CHAS. FRODSHAM, 84 Strand, London, would respectfully give notice that, at the distribution of Prizes at the Great Paris Exhibition, 1855, the
GRAND MEDAL OF HONOR
Was awarded to Mr. Frodsham for the perfection of the principle, mechanism, and performance of the Chronometer Watches exhibited by him, and styled his "NEW SERIES."
The critical notice accompanying the award, written by a distinguished French Savan, says: "Mr. Frodsham, therefore, has rendered eminent service to science; it is justice that he be rewarded for it, at least with the eulogium of public praise."
In the new series, Mr. Frodsham has succeeded by a more perfect method of compensation, a more correct adjustment in isocronism, and in an entirely new and peculiar construction of the train, in producing watches unaffected by changes of temperature, position or motion, or even violent exercise, and at the same time of unrivaled accuracy.
At the London Exhibition of 1851, Mr. Frodsham's contribution was noticed as bearing the stamp of peculiar merit, and being the flower of the English school.—In recognition of the excellence of the principle of his time keepers, the British Government has awarded Mr. Frodsham the sum of £3,170.
Mr. Frodsham, after a great number of experiments came to the conclusion that the only way to improve the watch was by adopting the proportions of the Marine Chronometer, its tests and adjustments;—this Mr. Frodsham has done in the watches of the NEW SERIES, and has found that with strictly chronometrical proportions *they are quite at variance with many of those of the best modern construction.* Experience proves the NEW SERIES WATCHES to be stronger, more powerful, and more accurate than any heretofore produced.
The manipulation or mechanical excellence of finish of the work, each Watch being a model of perfection.
The final adjustments of Compensation, Isochronism, and Positions,—whereby neither extremes of temperature, violent exercise, nor change of place, have any appreciable disturbing effect.
As a peculiar advantage, there is no danger of stopping under the most violent motion, either *in the cars*, on *horseback*, or in any vehicle.
In over one hundred instances these watches have stood the test of actual daily noting, and have exhibited as a result, *a rate* equal in regularity to the best Marine Chronometers. In several instances, their performance *at sea* has been superior to the Chronometer.
To those who reside on the line of railroads, or whose avocations taking them frequently in the cars, make a perfect timekeeper less of a luxury than a *necessity*, these Watches are recommended with the *most complete confidence*.
Wm. Brown, Esq., a distinguished engineer of Ohio, writes of these watches: "Finally, from what I have known of Frodsham's Watches, I am strongly impressed with the idea that they are a decided improvement on all other time-pieces, and were they set in gimbals, and used with some care, I think their performance would equal that of Mr. Frodsham's celebrated Box Chronometer, and would answer the same purpose for determining longitudes."
BOSTON, Dec. 1, 1856.
Messrs. Willard & Son—Gents: The gold watch, Chas. Frodsham, No. 7,166, I purchased of you, has performed with wonderful accuracy. During the three years I have owned it, it has been only one minute from the time time, and for one period of nine months its variation was less than two seconds. I never supposed a pocket watch capable of such perfection of time. Yours, truly,
F. W. THAYER.
BOSTON, Nov. 30, 1856.
Messrs. Willard & Son — Gentlemen: The Charles Frodsham Watch, No. 8,629, I purchased of you last year, has performed with all the accuracy of a Marine Chronometer, keeping a rate with astonishing regularity. For the last eighty days its variation has been but one second.
Yours truly, OLIVER ELDREDGE,
late of the U. S Steamship Atlantic.
PROVIDENCE, Dec. 17, 1857.
Messrs. S. Willard & Son—Gentlemen: I take much satisfaction in bearing testimony to the extraordinary performance of the watch I purchased of you, made by Chas Frodsham, of London, No. 7,696.
During the two years I have worn it, I have never known it to be one minute in error, and for part of the time its accuracy has been so remarkable that I should hardly have believed it had it been told me by another person.
By my record, the watch exhibits the following remarkable result:
1857, December 19, slow 35 seconds,
1858, January 19, " 34 "
1858, February 12, " 30 "
1858, March 15, " 33 "
1858, April 26, " 30 "
1858, May 31, " 34 "
Thus showing from actual noting a variation of five seconds in as many months. I may also mention that I have never favored the watch in any way, but have used it daily about my usual occupations.
Lest I may be accused of exaggeration, I will not express the high estimation in which I hold these watches; but will simply say that, taking into consideration the difficulties in the way of perfect timekeeping, their performance is *marvellous*. G. W. HALLETT.
The underwriters, of Boston, have shown the estimation in which they hold these watches by the numbers they have purchased for presentation to meritorious officers. Among those who have received these testimonials of distinguished respect, may be mentioned—
Lieut. S. DECATUR FENCHARD, U. S. Navy.
Commander MUSE and Officers, U. S. S. Hetzel.
Capt. PITMAN and Officers, Ship Manilus.
Capt. GRIFFITH MORRIS, Steamer R. B. Forbes.
Capt. BROCK, Ship Noonday.
Capt. I. S. EAMES, Ship Santiago.
EBEN S. SMITH, Esq., of Provincetown.
We shall take pleasure in showing the above watches to any one desirous of examining them.
feb19 d2aw8m. JOHN KITTS & CO.

PRINTS—500 cases American fancy Prints, of Sprague's, Cocheca, Merrimack, Union, and other brands, for sale for cash only, by
feb19 d&w JAMES LOW & CO., 418 Main street.

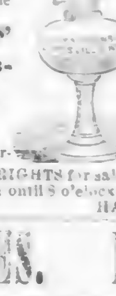
KENTUCKY
FAMILY JOURNAL.
TERMS:
Two Dollars a Year in Advance.
SUBSCRIPTION LISTS OPEN AT THE FOLLOWING PLACES:
JOHN W. CLARKE'S, Fourth street, under Mozart Hall.
F. A. CRUMP, Fourth street, near Market.
MAXWELL & CO., Main street, near Fifth.
F. MADDEN'S, Third street.
A. GUNTER'S, Third street.
☞ Persons out of the City should send their names and Postoffice address to F A HOLYOKE, Secretary.
E. A. HOLYOKE, NOBLE BUTLER, W. N. McDONALD, } Editorial Committee.
feb17 d6&w2-8

LINDENBERGER & CO.
PREMIUM
WHITE LEAD,
PURE
FALLS CITY.
WE have enlarged our facilities for the manufacture of the above brand of White Lead, and are now prepared to supply the trade promptly. This Lead has been largely used in this and other markets, and has been universally approved as a very superior article.
It is put up in kegs of 25, 50, 100, 200 and 500 lbs each Quality warranted, and price as low as the best brands of the Western Manufacturers.
LINDENBERGER & CO.,
Wholesale Druggists,
510 Main street, between Third and Fourth,
feb17 d2m&weow4-8 Louisville, Ky.

J. R. ESTERLE
WATCH-MAKER,
At Ramsey's Jewelry Store, Main street
SOLICITS the patronage of those having fine Watches out of order. He will warrant satisfaction in repairing and adjusting them with accuracy and dispatch.
feb18 dtf

M. C. RAMSEY.
Who would not wear a fine Watch, true to time, in every temperature, at a very moderate price?
I HAVE the Lesquereaux & Sons Watch, made by Jurgenson, in different sizes. The greatest wonder in this Watch is its low price for the accuracy of its time.
By permission of Elder D. P. Henderson, who bought one of these Watches of me, I have the pleasure to say that his Watch varied only S*econds in five months*, carefully noted by "Observatory time."
Just received, a fine assortment of the latest styles of FASHIONABLE JEWELRY, SILVER WARE, CLOCKS, &c., &c.
SPECTACLES,
In Gold, Silver, Steel or Shell, with Pebbles or fine Glasses, sent by mail to order.
M. C. RAMSEY, Main street,
feb18 d&w second door below Fourth.

COAL OIL LAMPS!
Exclusive Wholesale Agency for
LOUISVILLE,
No. 69 Fourth street, under the National Hotel.
THESE LAMPS to four Candles third cent ⅌ hour. smoke or smell—light, and are adapted—Schools, Factories, The Coal Oil is every other portable of its cheapness and gives a light equal at a cost of one-They burn without give a brilliant ed for Churches, or Dwellings fast superceding ble light on account brilliancy.



We are also sole Agents for Kent'ky FOR PETERS' PATENT NON-EXPLOSIVE, SELF-GENERATING GAS LAMP!
The best Portable Fluid Gas Generator in existence.
☞ COUNTY RIGHTS for sale.
☞ Store open until 8 o'clock P. M.
jan21 d3m HARDY & ROBINSON.

NEEDLES. NEEDLES.
WE call the especial attention of Seamstresses and Ladies in general, to
DURKEE, HEATH & CO.'S
Celebrated Gold Eye Needles,
Manufactured expressly for our own trade, and guarantee them as the most superior article of the kind ever offered in this market, and warrant them to give entire satisfaction.
DURKEE, HEATH & CO., 107 Fourth street,
feb9 d&wtf between Market and Jefferson.

PEARSON & KING,
UNDERTAKERS,
AT the old stand of Caudry & Pearson, corner of Third and Jefferson streets, Louisville, Ky., agents for Fisk's Metallic, and Crane's Casket Burial Cases. A large assortment always on hand. Also all kinds of wooden coffins of every style and finish, and having two new glass hearses and a large number of fine carriages, we are prepared to attend to calls either in the city or country, promptly. feb19 d3m

LINES TO MARY ANN!
"Wire Safes made neat,
To keep meat sweet;
And more than that they do—
They keep out rats
And hungry cats,
And flies they can't get through."
HOUSEKEEPERS' EMPORIUM,
feb19 No. 77 Fourth street.

LOOK HERE!
10,000 LBS new Bacon Hams and Shoulders, slightly damaged by fire, I will sell low at wholesale or retail, on Main street, opposite the Eagle Foundry, No. 834. Call immediately.
feb19 d6&w1* JOHN A. WEINMANN.

SPRING GOODS.
THE subscribers are now receiving their spring stock of Boots and Shoes at their new location, No. 370 and 372 north side of Main street, between Seventh and Eighth, opposite the Falls City Hotel, to which they would invite attention of country merchants generally.
W. & D. S. PIATT.
LOUISVILLE, Feb. 15, 1859. feb19 d6&w4-9

NOTICE.
THE business of the firm of W. & D. S. PIATT will be carried on under the same name as heretofore, by the undersigned, until the first day of January, 1860.
WM. PIATT, Survivor.
LOUISVILLE, Feb. 15, 1859. feb19 d6&w4

VENITIAN BLIND FACTORY,
Third street, bet. Main and Market.
VENITIAN BLINDS of every size, color and price. Show Cases for Country Merchants, cheap. Blinds repaired and Blind Trimmings for sale.
Established 1838 feb19 d&w BENJ. FLOOD.

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—50 bags prime Buckwheat Flour this day received by
J. B. RUSSELL, 500 Main street,
feb19 between Third and Fourth.

MEAL—200 bushels white country Meal in store and for sale by
feb19 PENTON & GLORE, 86 Fourth street.

GREEN APPLES—30 bbls prime Green Apples in store and for sale by
feb19 PENTON & GLORE, 86 Wall street.

PLANTATION MOLASSES—100 bbls and 100 half bbls received per steamers Fanny Bullitt and Empress and for sale by
feb19 TYLER & MARTIN.

SUGAR—25 bbls Philadelphia Crushed and Powdered Sugar received per steamer Eunice and for sale by
feb19 TYLER & MARTIN.

CANDY SUGAR—15 tierces extra received per steamer Fanny Bullitt and for sale by
feb19 TYLER & MARTIN.

SPICES—50 bags Pepper, Pimento and Ginger, for sale by feb19 TYLER & MARTIN.

MOLASSES—50 bbls St. James' Sugarhouse Molasses in store and for sale by
feb19 TYLER & MARTIN.

CODFISH—25 casks in store and for sale by
feb19 TYLER & MARTIN.

GROUND SPICES—100 boxes assorted Hudson Mill Pepper, Pimento and Cloves, for sale by
feb19 TYLER & MARTIN.

SUGAR—164 hhds prime and choice Sugar landing from steamer John Raine and for sale by
feb19 RAWSON, COOD & TODD.

RICE—30 tierces in store and for sale by
feb19 RAWSON, COOD & TODD.

COFFEE—
500 bags Rio Coffee;
75 do prime Java Coffee, in pockets;
In store and for sale by
feb19 RAWSON, COOD & TODD.

SUGAR—209 hhds good fair Sugar received per steamers Empress and Woodford and for sale by
feb19 H. D. NEWCOMB & BRO.

S. S. MARK............G. F. DOWNS.
THROUGH with spring painting and cleaning up, and are now opening a large and splendid stock of fresh
SPRING GOODS,
embracing in all the new varieties—
Silks, in Robes and plain;
Organdies, Lawns and Muslins;
Bareges, in Robes, Bayadere and Plain;
Chintz, Calicoes, Percals and Cambrics;
Plain de Laines, assorted colors;
New style Embroideries;
Laces and Trimming;
Laces in Sets, Collars and Sleeves;
And a general stock of
STAPLE AND DOMESTIC GOODS.
To all of which we call attention, as worthy the examination of our friends and the public generally.
feb19 MARK & DOWNS, 471 Main street.

MOLASSES—
573 bbls Molasses, prime;
202 ½ bbls do, do;
Received steamer Magnolia and for sale by
feb18 H. D. NEWCOMB & BRO.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—A House and other necessary out-buildings, with either fourteen or twenty acres of Land attached, as the purchaser may choose. This property is on the Salt River pike, 6½ miles south of the city, and would be a good location for a physician or a gardener. Eighty acres, sixty of which are in good timothy grass, can be had for rent, with the above property. I would refer to George Kitzro, on the corner of Center and Chestnut streets, or to myself. I will give a good bargain in this property, and long payments for part of the purchase money. S. A. ATCHISON,
feb18 deod3 corner of Fifth and Jefferson sts.

FOR SALE—Two fine MULES are offered for sale. They are well broke work single or double, and will stand without hitching. Apply at the Kentucky Brewery, on Market street, between Sixth and Seventh, next door above Levi's stable. ZANG & MEIER.
feb18 d6*

WORK MULES FOR SALE—I have for sale 3 young, kind, gentle, and well-broke mules. One is a natural pacer and an excellent riding animal. All work well and true in harness. Will be sold low by applying immediately to
f19 dtf C. C. SPENCER, Auctioneer.

FOR SALE—A fine Brick Dwelling House and Lot on the north side of Jefferson street, between Eleventh and Twelfth. The house contains ten fine rooms and kitchen, with two large halls fine cistern in the yard, yard well set in shrubbery, and iron railing in front of house. The lot is 32 feet front, running back 130 feet. The house is in complete repair and nearly new. Will be sold very low. For terms, etc., apply to H. W. WALTON,
of Walton & Barret, Fourth street,
jy27 dtf between Main and Market.

FOR HIRE.

FOR HIRE—A good Cook, Washer, and ironer, well, about 40 years old. Call at L. M. Lemont's, on Second street, between Main and Market, Louisville.
feb19 d3 S. C. ELY.

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—A two story Brick House with four rooms, cellar, kitchen, coal house, cistern, &c., on Seventh street, between Broadway and York, is for rent. Apply to THOMAS J. WILSON, Kentucky Locomotive Works, or at his residence corner of Broadway and Fifteenth streets. feb15 d6

FOR RENT—A Dwelling House on Seventeenth street, between Grayson and Walnut, in Smith son's Row. Apply to
W. A. MERIWETHER,
jan26 ltf at Stirman & Meriwether's, Court Place.

FOR RENT—The building No. 536 Main street, between Second and Third, formerly occupied by the Valentine Express Company. Possession given immediately. Apply at No. 540 Main street, next door to Bank of Kentucky.
jan [illegible]

WANTED.

AGENTS WANTED—25 young men are wanted to circulate by subscription new and rapid-selling Books throughout each county in the South and West. The great popularity of our books, and their complete adaptation to the public wants, presents inducements to enterprising canvassers, of business habits and good address, rarely met with in the subscription business. To secure a choice of territory, early application should be made at our office, corner of Main and Third streets (over the store of A. D. Mansfield), or by letter to BILL & BROTHER,
jan24 dtf Louisville, Ky.

JAS. G. MATHERS,
NO. 470 MAIN STREET,
Between Fourth and Fifth, adjoining the Louisville, Rolling Mill Warehouse,
LOUISVILLE, KY.,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN
CARPETS,
OIL-CLOTHS,
AND
FURNISHING ARTICLES
FOR
Hotels, Dwellings, Steamboats, Public Institutions, &c.
The Largest, most Complete, and Cheapest Establishment of the kind in the West.
au30 d1y

J. MONKS, 396 MAIN STREET, HAS in store and in Custom House [illegible] favorable terms, viz.—
100 bbls Bourbon [illegible] Whisky, [illegible];
100 bbls do do do [illegible];
250 bbls [illegible];
50 do Johnson's New Haven Whisky, 4 years [illegible];
80 do Washington [illegible];
25 do [illegible] years [illegible];
300 do [illegible];
200 do [illegible];
100 do American Brandy and Gin;
20 do super pure Apple Brandy;
10 do Peach do;
100 do Sweet Malaga Wine;
50 do Wild Cherries in [illegible];
10 puncheons [illegible];
10 pipes fine, pure [illegible] Gin;
10 [illegible] White Sugar Syrup;
5 [illegible] Sar[illegible] Wine;
2 [illegible] Essence Peppermint;
2 casks Gall House Bitters;
50 quarter casks Port Wine;
5 do [illegible] Wine;
10 do [illegible] Sherry Wine;
20 do Madeira and Sherry [illegible];
2 [illegible];
1 [illegible];
1 [illegible];
100 boxes Claret Wine;
100 do Wine, very fine;
200 bbls Rectified Whisky, [illegible];
100 baskets Champagne, [illegible];
50 cases Holland's [illegible];
50 do Curacao;
50 do Cherries;
50 do Muscat;
50 do Mull's Stomach Bitters;
200 do Brandies, various brands;
100 do Madeira & Port Wines, various [illegible];
20 ¼ casks A. Seignette Brandy;
20 11th and 12th Otard, Dupuy & Co.'s Brandy;
James Hennessy's do;
20 11th and 12th United Proprietors' do;
☞ 10 ¼ casks A. Seignette Brandy;
5 ¼ do do do;
5 ¼ do Olive & Co's do;
5 ¼ do Otard, Dupuy do;
To arrive in Custom House under seal, will be sold subject to duties.
The usual time given to prompt and reliable customers. A liberal discount made for cash. [illegible]

RUBBER BELTING
At 10 per cent less than list prices.
LEATHER BELTING!
At 10 per cent less than list prices.
Fan Mill Screnery,
Wove to order, of any description, at Eastern prices.
Carding Machines,
On hand and made to order, of any description, warranted.
Machine Cards,
Best Philadelphia and Worcester make.
Fluid, Coal Oil and Lamps,
With Patent Burning Fluids and Oils, and Lamps of all kinds.
Sieves & Wire Goods,
Manufactured largely at Eastern prices.
BEING determined to make my house HEAD-QUARTERS for the above branches, I have made special arrangements with Eastern manufacturers to keep me supplied with a large stock of all I do not manufacture myself, and at prices as enable me to offer very superior inducements.
☞ Descriptive Catalogues of any of the above, with prices attached, sent upon application.
H. W. WILKES, Jr.,
No. 75 Fourth st., Louisville, Ky.
jan31 d1m&w3m

YELLOW WAX.
5,000 POUNDS pure Beeswax wanted, for which we will pay the highest market price.
feb19 d12 W. H. SPARKE & CO., Wall street.

ANOTHER ARRIVAL BY EXPRESS,
ALEXANDER'S KID GLOVES—A general assortment.
BAREGE ROBES, ORGANDIES, Ladies' Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, with a large variety of new style Silks, at C. DUVALL & CO.'S,
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SUGAR—99 hhds fair to choice Sugar landed per steamer Empress and for sale by
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MEYER'S
MIRACULOUS VERMIN DESTROYER.
FOR THE DESTRUCTION OF RATS, MICE, MOLES, Bugs, Roaches, Fleas, Mosquitoes, Moths, Garden Insects, Ants, etc.
The chemical preparations known under the above title for the last 22 years throughout Europe, where they have met with a triumphant success, have acquired for their inventor and manufacturer a world-wide celebrity attested by the Emperors of Russia, France, Austria, the Queen of England, the Kings of Belgium, Holland, Naples, Bavaria, Saxony, etc.; and in America their efficiency has been indorsed by the Directors of Public Institutions, and the approval of numerous private citizens, and that they are the only remedies in the world sure to exterminate all kinds of vermin.
Meyer's Miraculous Preparations destroy the unwelcome intruders without mercy, and never fail. His Art has brought death to millions of them in the world, and from this day the watchword of all housekeepers, merchants, ship owners, and husbandmen will be "No more vermin."
☞ Depot of the inventor and proprietor,
JOSEPH MEYER, Practical Chemist,
612 Broadway (corner Houston street), New York.
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☞ Sold, wholesale and retail, by Beard, Miller & Stewart and Cary & Talbot. d29 d6m 3p

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LOUISVILLE, KY.

☞ILLUSTRATED CATALOGUES sent by mail gratis, on application. jan7 d 3m&w 12-3

DISSOLUTIONS.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership lately existing between John Metcalfe and James T. Metcalfe, under the firm of JOHN METCALFE & BRO., was dissolved on the 31st day of January, 1859, by mutual consent. John Metcalfe is authorised to settle all debts due to and by the company. JOHN METCALFE, JAS. T. METCALFE.

Louisville, February 1st, 1859.

IN retiring from the old firm, I would cheerfully recommend my brother, John Metcalfe, to the patronage of our former customers. JAS. T. METCALFE.

THE undersigned will continue the COPPER, TIN and SHEET-IRON business at the old stand, Main street, between Seventh and Eighth.

Distillery and Boat Work punctually attended to on the shortest notice. JOHN METCALFE.

feb2 d1m&w4-6

NOTICE.

THE partnership of SMITH & CARTERS terminated on the 1st inst., by limitation. Either partner is authorised to use the name of the firm in liquidation.

The affairs of the concern will be liquidated at the Counting-room of CARTER & BROTHER, who are successors to the business, and will continue it at the same stand, corner of Main and Sixth streets.

GEO. P. SMITH,
JOHN A. CARTER,
JAMES G. CARTER.

Louisville, January 15th, 1859.

REFERRING to the above, the undersigned would solicit a continuance of custom from the patrons of the old firm, and invite the attention of merchants visiting this market to our stock of STAPLE AND FANCY DRY GOODS AND NOTIONS, which will be complete for the spring trade by the 1st of March.

Louisville, Jan. 15, 1859. jan6 d2m&w8-2

DISSOLUTION.

THE firm of Curd & Co. is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business will be closed up by either of the partners. H. T. CURD, B. C. HORD,

JANUARY 1st, 1859. J. F. WELLER.

COPARTNERSHIP.

THE undersigned will continue the Wholesale Grocery and Commission business under the style of CURD & HORD, at the old stand, on Sixth street, near Main. H. T. CURD, B. C. HORD.

j3 dtf

DISSOLUTION.

THE partnership heretofore existing under the style of HOOE, LUCKETT & CO., is this day dissolved by mutual consent, L. A. Luckett retiring from the concern. The remaining partners (A. L. Hooe and J. G. P. Hooe) are alone authorised to use the name of the firm in liquidation, who will continue the business at the old stand under the name and style of A. L. HOOE & BROTHER.

A. L. HOOE,
L. A. LUCKETT,
J. G. P. HOOE.

d31 d3m

DISSOLUTION OF COPARTNERSHIP.

THE copartnership heretofore existing between NOAR & BURRILL was dissolved on the 25th of December, 1858, by mutual consent. George Noar, the successor of the firm, is alone authorised to receive the debts due to the concern, and settle all liabilities.

GEORGE NOAR,
H. H. BURRILL.

Louisville, Ky., December 31, 1858.

GEORGE NOAR,

(SUCCESSOR TO NOAR & BURRILL,)

IMPORTER and Wholesale Dealer in Foreign and Domestic Wines and Liquors, Tobacco, Cigars, Boat, Bar and Hotel Stores, Preserves, Fruits, Pickles, Sauces, &c., &c.,

No. 63 Third street, bet. Market & Main, LOUISVILLE, KY.

☞A continuance of public patronage is respectfully solicited d31 dtf

TEXAS LAW CARD.

G. R. FREEMAN,

Attorney at Law and Land Agent, BELKNAP, TEXAS,

WILL practice in the District, Supreme and Federal Courts of the State. His services as an agent are offered particularly to the Stockholders of the Texan Emigration and Land Company (Peters' Colony Co.), and all other non residents, to whom his long and intimate acquaintance with the Lands and Land system of Texas may be of advantage.

He is now in Kentucky, to remain a short time. Post-office address, Frankfort, Ky. feb17 d1y

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Wholesale Grocers and Commission MERCHANTS,

SIXTH STREET, NEAR MAIN,

Louisville, Kentucky.

feb12 dtf

NOTICE.

I HAVE purchased the entire property, both real and personal, boats, and everything pertaining to the Curlew Mines. I shall continue to conduct the business under the name of the CURLEW COAL COMPANY, and shall manage the business in person. I am not responsible for any contracts made by the old Company previous to the 11th inst., nor since that time for contracts made by any person than myself.

DAVID C. JAMES.

Curlew, Ky., Feb. 15, 1859. feb18 d6

NOTICE.

THE following articles having been in store for ninety days and upwards, will be sold to the highest bidder to pay freight and charges, if not called for within 30 days from this date—January 29th, 1859:

1 Watering Cart, consigned to J. T. Norwood; 1 box Drugs, H. Fritzhuhl; 1 box Bedding, 1 box Clothes, E. Duvall, 1 Bedstead, S. Wharton; 1 keg Mdze, J. F. Overholser; 2 boxes, G. Warren; 2 Tubes, owner; 4 Doors, D. G. Williams; 1 bundle Rags, owner; 1 box, E. M. Messenger; 1 Ice Chest, Rome & Co.; lot of old Iron, Allen Snork; 1 box, M. L. Hudson.

A. B. BARBER, Agent
New Albany and Salem Railroad,

jan29 d1m 555 Main st., Louisville, Ky.

$100 REWARD.

Ranaway from the subscriber, living near Senatobia, Miss., about the 18th of October last, my Negro Man MARSH, aged between 30 and 35 years; slender built; about five feet ten or eleven inches high, dark complexion: small head and feet, and perhaps a scar about temple; will weigh about 150 or 160 pounds, has a down look when spoken to.

I will pay the above reward for the apprehension of said Negro on his delivery to me, or lodgment in jail so that I can get him, if taken without the State of Mississippi, or $50 if taken in said State. If taken in a free State and delivered to me, or lodged in any jail in a slave State so that I can get him, I will pay $500.

WM. POAG.

Senatobia, DeSoto county, Miss. feb16 d2m

[Louisville Courier publish two months and forward bill to this office immediately.—*Memphis Appeal.*]

PRINTERS' INK.

A LARGE quantity of the different grades of Book and News Inks, from the manufactory of Charles E. Johnson, Philadelphia, *the best and cheapest article extant,* just received and for sale.

This Ink is put up in 10, 20 and 50 ℔ kegs, and will be sold at the following unusually low rates, viz:—No. 1 Book, 85c, No. 2 Book, 40c; No. 3 Book, 50c; Hand Press News, 20c; Cylinder Press News, in half barrels, 15c.

The No. 1 Book is quite as good as that usually sold at 50c—the others in proportion.

All Ink warranted as represented. Orders, which must be accompanied by the cash, promptly attended to.

Address F. B. FRENCH, Agent,

feb18 dtf Courier Office, Louisville, Ky.

GREAT NOVELTY!

STEREOSCOPES AND STEREOSCOPIC VIEWS—
20 dozen colored and plain Parlor Groups (Elliott's and others);
10 dozen fine Statuary;
5 do colored Landscapes;
10 do plain do;
10 do Transparent Views;
10 do Italian, Spanish, German, Swiss, French, and English Views;
1 Rosewood, 25 View Lens;
4 Papier Mache Stereoscopes;
6 Rosewood do;
6 Mahogany do;
12 black Paper do.

Call and see them. Every parlor should have a Stereoscope and set of Views. For sale at 525, corner of Main and Third streets.

feb17 A. D. MANSFIELD.

COUGH LOZENGES—
Wistar's Cough Lozenges;
Brown's Broncial Troches;
Locock's Wafers;
Bryan's do;

In store and for sale by CARY & TALBOT, Druggists,

feb18 456 Market street, bet. Third and Fourth.

SEED OATS FOR SALE.

500 BUSHELS KENTUCKY SEED OATS, raised by C. B. Lewis, Esq., Scott county, Ky. The above is a superior quality of old Black Oats, and will be sold in quantities to suit purchasers. Enquire at the Freight Office of Louisville and Frankfort Railroad Depot, Louisville, where the Oats can be seen.

feb18 d12*

SMALL SQUARE MAGNESIA—1 case received and for sale by CARY & TALBOT, Market street,

feb18 between Third and Fourth.

PURE BERMUDA ARROW ROOT—Received and for sale by

feb18 CARY & TALBOT, Market street.

BAKER'S COD LIVER OIL—5 gross just received and for sale by

feb18 CARY & TALBOT, Market st.

COD LIVER OIL JELLY—For sale by

feb18 CARY & TALBOT.

TO THE VOTERS OF KENTUCKY.

I AM a Candidate for re-election as Auditor of public Accounts. My past official conduct is the only guaranty that I can offer for the future.

j20 d&wte THO. S. PAGE.

BY TELEGRAPH.

XXXVth CONGRESS—SECOND SESSION.

Saturday's Proceedings.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—House.—Mr. Hughes, of Indiana, called up the bill reported from the select committee appointed to examine the accounts and conduct of Mr. Hackey, the late doorkeeper, proposing to reform the abuses in the folding room. The House, on motion, tabled it, but adopted a resolution from that committee declaring that all extra copies of books and documents, divided equally among the members, are intended for gratuitous distribution to libraries and among the people, and any other disposition of the same meets the unqualified disapprobation of this House.

The consideration of the army bill was resumed in Committee of the Whole on the state of the Union.

From New York.

NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—The steamer Marion, from Charleston, went ashore on the Jersey flats in the heavy fog that prevailed this morning.

The propeller Edinburg, from Glasgow, arrived this morning. Her dates have been anticipated.

The steamer Prince Albert, at St. John's, brings intelligence that the steamship Africa arrived at Liverpool at 9 o'clock on the evening of the 29th ult.

River and Weather.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 19, M.—It rained incessantly for the last 12 hours; rain falling in torrents.—The river has risen 6 feet in the last 24 hours, and now rising 2 inches per hour. There are now 44 feet water in the channel. The water is on the floors of the stores at the foot of Main street. A general overflow of the lower part of the city is apprehended. Thermometer 62, and quite sultry; wind direct south.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 19, M.—The river continues to rise at the rate of half an inch an hour, and is clear of ice.

The Missouri river is open to Weston, and rising fast.

The weather is alternately clear, and cloudy and sultry.

BLANK BOOK MANUFACTORY.

WEBB & LEVERING, 521 Main, third door below Third, Louisville, Ky., manufacturers of all kinds of Blank Books, and keep constantly on hand a large assortment for sale either at wholesale or retail.

Merchants and others wishing Blank Books made to order can have them ruled and bound to any paper and paged in beautiful and accurate style.

Every description of Book Binding executed on reasonable terms.

Steamboat Books of all kinds constantly kept on hand and made to order at short notice, and of the finest materials.

Country merchants are invited to examine our stock comprising a large assortment of School, Miscellaneous and Blank Books, Paper, Stationery, &c., all of which will be sold on reasonable terms.

WEBB & LEVERING,

f11 Booksellers and Blank Book Makers.

Kanawha Salt.

2,000 BBLS of that "Extra" Salt, in prime cooperage, in store and for sale by KEARSLEY CARTER,

feb10 d10 Kanawha Salt Agent, Third street.

LOST, ABOUT SIX WEEKS SINCE,

A large black NEWFOUNDLAND DOG, about 10 months old; had a white spot between the fore legs, though not perceptible without examination, and a little white on the toes of his right fore foot; answers to the name of "Rolla." He wore at the time a leather collar with ring and buckle; the collar was made fast with tacks. A liberal reward will be paid for his delivery to M. COTTER,

feb10 dtf corner Eighth and Jefferson streets.

DRY GOODS!

WE invite the attention of cash and prompt dealers on short time, to our stock of STAPLE and FANCY DRY GOODS, which is now very complete in all departments.

JAMES LOW & CO., 415 Main street,

feb15d&w1 Louisville, Ky.

DR. JOHN BULL'S

Compound Pectoral of Wild Cherry,

For the complete Cure of COUGHS, COLDS, ASTHMA, BRONCHITIS, INFLUENZA, PAINS IN THE SIDE AND BREAST, SPITTING OF BLOOD, AND CONSUMPTION,

Is rapidly advancing in the estimation of the public. It is no empirical nostrum: *its component principles* are made known to the *entire medical faculty.* It is prepared accurately from the recipe of an experienced and talented physician, and has proved itself to be the greatest remedy for all diseases of the Lungs ever discovered; and wherever it has been introduced it has made cures which are perfectly astonishing. It is bound to supersede every other Cough Medicine before the public. Testimonials are daily being sent in to the proprietor, of cures effected even after physicians had abandoned every hope. A *single trial* will convince the most incredulous of its efficacy in curing that class of diseases for which it is designed. Why is it that so many die every year of Consumption, or some other disease of the Lungs? Because they neglect its sure forerunner—a "*simple cold,*"—which might be easily cured by the prompt use of a single bottle of Dr. John Bull's "Compound Pectoral of Wild Cherry." We say, therefore, Try it, by all means. It this does not cure you, nothing can.

Sold by all Druggists everywhere. All Orders from Wholesale Purchasers, or applications for Agencies, must be addressed to

DR. JOHN BULL,
Louisville, Ky., or New York City.

feb15 d1m&s

HOOP SKIRTS!

JUST received the latest improved patent Hoop Skirts, the Queen of Dimonds and Misses Skirt. Those wishing to purchase, it would be to their advantage to call and examine the goods before purchasing elsewhere. We are selling at our usual low price. No. 68 Fourth street.

jan31 D. J. MURRAY.

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CAREFULLY and accurately filled at all hours, day or night, with select

MEDICINES AND CHEMICALS,

FROM THE

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DRUG AND PRESCRIPTION STAND,

SEVENTH AND GREEN STREETS.

N. B. All new preparations made as they are required by the practitioner. jan5

WOODEN WARE.

THE subscriber has just returned from the East with a large and fresh stock of everything in his line, purchased direct from the manufacturers, and which will be sold as low as can be purchased in Cincinnati, which has heretofore had the bulk of this trade, with the exception of a few leading articles. He has now in store, and is daily receiving—

1,000 dozen Painted Buckets, all colors;
300 nests Painted and Cedar Tubs, all sizes;
200 dozen Brass bound Cedar Buckets;
200 nests Painted and Cedar Keelers;
100 dozen Cedar Piggins, in nests, brass and iron bound;
100 dozen Cedar Churns, brass bound;
100 do red Cedar Churns, iron bound;
100 do Well Buckets, varnished, 3 grades;
300 do Brooms, all grades, from large stable to small hearth;
1,000 M Percussion Caps, imported;
200 dozen Baskets, imported, fancy and common;
100 do Wash Boards, zinc and bannister;
100 do Hand Whisks, plain and fancy.

ALSO,

Broom Makers' Materials—Handles, Twine, Tacks, and Wire;

Rolling Pins, Potato Mashers, Pastry Boards;

Wooden Bowls, Chopping Knives, Clothes Pins;

Nests Measures, Flower Baskets, Barrel Covers, Butter Stamps, &c., &c., including too large a variety for enumeration in an advertisement. Purchasers are requested to call and examine for themselves.

J. B. RUSSELL, 500 Main st.,

feb17 between Third and Fourth.

FLOUR, LIME AND CEMENT,

CONSTANTLY on hand and receipts daily. Purchasers will find it to their interest to call before purchasing elsewhere.

PETER SMITH, Main street,

feb17 dtf between First and Second.

CANDLES AND SOAP.

JUST RECEIVED—
50 boxes Star Candles;
50 do Oline Soap;

Manufactured by Messrs. Korb, Huette & Co., New Albany, and for sale at PETER SMITH'S Flour and Commission Store, Main st.,

feb17 dtf between First and Second.

OLD CROW WHISKY—40 bbls, 5 years old, for sale by feb17 WALLACE POPE & CO.

FOREIGN WINES—
8 quarter casks choice Madeira Wine;
8 do do Sweet Malaga do;
1 do do Port do;
25 baskets superior brands Champagne Wine;

In store and for sale by

feb17 WALLACE POPE & CO.

COFFEE—
75 pockets old Government Java Coffee;
50 bags Laguayra do;

In store and for sale by

feb17 WALLACE POPE & CO.

LONGWORTH'S WINES—
50 boxes Longworth's Sparkling Catawba;
25 do do Dry do;

For sale at Cincinnati prices by

feb17 WALLACE POPE & CO.

STAR CANDLES—100 boxes for sale by

feb17 WALLACE POPE & CO.

FLOUR—
20 bbls St. Louis Flour, "4 Ace" brand;
25 bbls choice City Flour, extra;

In store and for sale by

feb17 WALLACE POPE & CO.

AMUSEMENTS.

LOUISVILLE THEATER.

LEWIS BAKER, Sole Lessee. GEORGE MELLUS Acting Manager. JOHN T. LORTON, Stage Manager.

☞Box office open daily from 10 A. M., till 1 P. M., and from 3 to 5 P. M., when seats may be secured one day in advance, of W. F. G. SHANKS, Treasurer.

☞OBSERVE.☜

PRICES REDUCED!

PRICES OF ADMISSION—Dress Circle and Parquette 50c; Second Tier, 25c; Third Tier, 15c; Private Boxes, $5; Colored Boxes, 25c; Colored Gallery, 15c.

SECOND WEEK OF MR. NEAFIE.

THIS (Monday) EVENING, February 21st, will be acted the celebrated play entitled JACK CADE—Jack Cade, under the assumed name of Aylmere, Mr. Neafie; Lord Say, Swift; Earl Clifford, Dickson; Buckingham, Dillon; Friar Lacey, Keeble; Wat Worthy, Lorton; Will Moworay, Scallan; Courtnay, Townsend, Pembroke, Reeve; Jack Straw, Schenk; Roger Sutton, Beaver; Marianne, Miss Ida Vernon Widow Cade, Mrs. Gilbert, Kate Worthy, Miss Schenk......To conclude with the petit farce of A BULL IN A CHINA SHOP—Delph, Mr. Lorton; Diggory, Scallan; Porcelain, Beaver; Benedict, St. Clair; Liddy Morrigan, Mrs. Dickson; Emily Seaforth, Miss Schenk.

☞NOTICE.—Doors open at 7, and Overture to commence at 7½ o'clock. feb21

A GRAND CONCERT

WILL BE GIVEN

ON THURSDAY EVENING, MARCH 3,

AT

MASONIC TEMPLE,

FOR THE

BENEFIT OF ST. JOHN'S CHURCH.

On which occasion a most delightful programme of *Vocal and Instrumental Music* will be presented.

feb21 dtd

MASONIC TEMPLE.

LAST NIGHT OF THE

Wonderful and Amusing Experiments

IN

ELECTRO-BIOLOGY,

BY DR. G. W. STONE,

MONDAY EVENING, FEBRUARY 21.

Doors open at 7¼ o'clock—To commence at 8 o'clock. Admission, 25 cents.

N. B. Instructions given on application to Dr. STONE, at the United States Hotel every day during this week.

feb21 d1

APOLLO HALL,

Market street, bet. Third and Fourth.

OPEN EVERY EVENING.

ADMISSION ONLY 10 CENTS.

PROF. JOHN HOLMES.................Musical Director.
J. R. WHEELER.................Lessee.

THE superior attraction which will be produced every evening this week, will be sufficient to attract all the fun loving community to this most popular place of amusements.

First appearance in this city of Mr. S. Acker, the unequalled tambourinist, and fancy dancer. Miss Clara Harrington, the world wide favorite and Queen of Song. Miss M. Morten, the pleasing baladist. Master Charles Rivers, the unequalled jig dancer, who defeated all others in the trial dance, and now wears the champion belt. Mr. Wm. West, the unrivalled bone player and original Bob Ridley. Mr. M. Flavion, the acknowledged Louisville favorite and comic vocalist.

The evening's entertainments to conclude with a laughable afterpiece.

Performance commences at 7½ o'clock. feb21 d6*

SPORT AT HAMMOND'S PIT.

THE lovers of sport, on Tuesday afternoon, at 3 o'clock, at Jesse Hammond's "Pit," there will be a fight between a fierce Tiger-Cat, just from the mountains, and Mr. Kress' dog "Noble." The sport will be highly interesting, and Mr. Hammond has gone to great expense to get up this fight. feb21 d2

FOR 2 NIGHTS ONLY, POSITIVELY.

PICCOLOMINI.

THE public are respectfully informed that M'LLE PICCOLOMINI will give TWO GRAND CONCERTS in Louisville, on

Friday and Saturday, 25th and 26th,

—at—

MASONIC TEMPLE

Commencing at 8 o'clock, being positively the only performances she can give in this city. M'lle Piccolomini will be assisted by

M'LLE GHIONI,
Prima Donna from Her Majesty's Theater, London.
SIG. LORINI,
Prima Tenor, from the Covent Garden, London, and Academy of Music, New York.
SIG. MAGGIOROTTI,
Principal Basso, also from the Queen's Theater.
MR. WOLLENHAUPT,
The Celebrated Violinist.

SIG. MUZIO................Conductor.

PROGRAMME.

1. Romanza—Il Normani..........Sig. MAGGIOROTTI.
3. Brindisi—La Traviata..........VERDI.

M'lle Piccolomini and Sig. Lorini.

2. Grace, Grace—Robert le Diable.......M'lle GHIONI.
4. Fantasia—Othello..........Mr. WOLLENHAUPT.
6. Duet—Nozzie di Figaro..........MOZART

M'lle Piccolomini and M'lle Ghioni.

5. Spirito Gentil—La Favorita..........Sig. LORINI.

PART II.

7. Largo al Factotum..........Sig. MAGGIOROTTI.
8. Piccolomini Waltz..........MUZIO

M'lle Piccolomini.

9. Serenade—Don Pasquale..........Sig. LORINI.
10. Fantasia—The Swallows..........Mr. WOLLENHAUPT
11. Aria—La Zingara..........M'lle GHIONI.
12. Grand Duet—L'Elisir d'Amore.

M'lle Piccolomini and Sig. Maggiorotti.

Price of reserved seats, $2. Admission in the evening at the door, $1, with the privilege of occupying such seats as may not have been secured.

THE SALE OF SEATS FOR BOTH CONCERTS

Will commence on WEDNESDAY, February 23d, at 9 o'clock, precisely, at the rooms of D. P. Faulds & Co.

M'LLE PICCOLOMINI appears in St. Louis 28th, and 1st of March; Memphis 4th, and then goes direct to New Orleans, and embarks from thence to Europe. f19 d7

MASONIC TEMPLE.

M'LLE PICCOLOMINI'S

ONLY CONCERTS IN THIS CITY,

Friday and Saturday, Feb. 25 & 26.

NOTICE.—The Management regrets to announce that, in consequence of M'lle Piccolomini's services being imperatively required in London early in April he has been unable to obtain an extension of his contract from Mr. Lumley, Manager of the Queen's Theater there. This will, therefore, most positively be the only opportunity of hearing the celebrated Cantatrice in Louisville.

☞The sale of seats for both concerts will commence on Wenesday, the 23d, at 9 o'clock, precisely, at the store-room of D. P. Faulds & Co., 539 Main street.

feb15 dtd

GRAND BANQUET AND BALL!

TO BE GIVEN BY THE

BUTCHERS' ASSOCIATION

OF LOUISVILLE,

In commemoration of the Birthday of the IMMORTAL GEORGE WASHINGTON, ON 22D FEBRUARY, 1859, AT MASONIC TEMPLE.

TICKETS..................$2 00

To be had of the following Managers:

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☞Every arrangement has been made to make this one of the most select affairs of the kind that has ever taken place in the city, and the managers promise that every thing shall be conducted on the most decorous and respectable plan. This they can assuredly promise, knowing that every safeguard has been adapted to select the most proper and agreeable company.

☞Christ. Haupt's celebrated Waltzing Band has been engaged for this occasion.

☞Likewise Cole's renowned Cotillion Band has been engaged for the above. jan20 dtd

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DANCING!

MR. G. H. GILBERT,

Late of her Majesty's Theater, London, respectfully informs the ladies and gentlemen of Louisville that he is prepared to attend private families and classes, and give lessons in all the new and most fashionable Ball-room and Fancy Dances.

For terms, &c., apply to Mr. GILBERT, at his residence on Fourth street, between Walnut and Chestnut, north side d31 dtf

LEWIS A. CIVILL,

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458 MAIN STREET,

LOUISVILLE, KY.

FRESH stock of new styles of Wall and Window Paper and Shades received, and will be ready for exhibition in a few days. LEWIS A. CIVILL.

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AUCTION SALES.

BY C. C. SPENCER.

Peremptory Sale of Dry Goods, Hardware, Cutlery, and Saddlery Furnishing Goods, at Auction.

ON WEDNESDAY MORNING, February 23, at 10 o'clock, will be sold, at Auction-rooms, No. 520 Main street, peremptorily, for account of whom it may concern, a large variety of Goods, consisting in part of 20 dozen assorted Steelyards, Pocket Cutlery, Scissors, Brass-lined Martingale Rings, Plated Shaft Tips, Buckles of every variety, Breeching and Harness Rings and Tucks, Cockeyes, Bradeon, Gig, Snaffle, Pelham, Mule, and Post Bits together with a a large variety of other Goods in the above line.

After which, will be sold a large variety of Linen and Fancy Bosom Shirts, Bleached Shirting, Millinery Goods, and Dress Trimmings.

☞The attention of Harnessmakers and Dealers and City and Country Buyers is particularly called to this sale, which is peremptory.

Terms cash. C. C. SPENCER,

feb21 Auctioneer.

SPECIAL AUCTION NOTICE.

S. G. HENRY & CO.,

Would call special attention to their sale at Auction-rooms next

Tuesday, Feb. 22d, at 10 o'clock,

Of a desirable invoice of Dry Goods just received from New York.

They would call particular attention to a large line of
Superfine and Medium Irish Linens;
Gents' Bord. Linen Cambric Handkerchiefs;
Extra Super Woolen and Zephyr Goods;
Ladies' new style Run-round Dress Goods.

There will also be in addition, a Cut Stock of Satinets, Flannels, Cloths, Merino and Cotton Hosiery, and other Goods.

Terms cash. S. G. HENRY & CO.,

feb19 Auctioneers.

BY S. G. HENRY & CO.

Peremptory Sale of Law and Miscellaneous Books At Auction.

ON MONDAY EVENING, Feb. 21st, at 7 o'clock, we will sell at Auction-rooms, to close an estate, a Library of

Valuable Medical and Miscellaneous Books.

☞The special attention of the Gentlemen attending the Medical Lectures is called to this sale. The Books will be arranged for inspection on Monday morning.

Terms cash. S. G. HENRY & CO.,

feb19 Auctioneers.

AUCTION AND COMMISSION HOUSE.

HAVING taken store No. 518 Market street, between Second and Third, I am now prepared to receive consignments of all kinds for public or private sale. All out-door sales promptly attended to. I will attend to the Sale or Renting of Real Estate and procuring homes for Servants. In short, anything that pertains to a Commission or Agency business will meet with prompt attention. W. A. HOLLAND, Auctioneer.

I am authorised to use the following names as REFERENCES:

John Crabb & Co., Main street.
M. C. Ramsey, "
Webster & Brother, "
Drs. Wible & Bemiss, Jefferson street.

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Business Lot for Sale on Credit.

ON the south side of Main street, between Twelfth and Thirteenth. A fine business Lot, fronting 40 feet on Main by 195 feet in depth, is for sale. The alley in the rear is 30 feet wide, so that buildings can be put up on both ends of the lot. A credit of 12 months will be given to a reliable person for the whole of the purchase money. Apply at the Courier office. feb10 dtf

WM. SYERS' LOTTERY OFFICE,

LOUISVILLE, KY.,

NO. 76 Third street, between Main and Market, also Market street, between Brook and Floyd, south side. Tickets for sale in all the Shelby College Lotteries, including the Monthly Lottery on the Havana Plan, drawn at Baltimore, Md.

All orders strictly confidential and promptly filled.

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COPARTNERSHIP.

I HAVE this day associated with me Mr. Jacob Dolfinger for the purpose of Manufacturing, Wholesaling and Retailing

JEWELRY, SILVER WARE, WATCHES AND CLOCKS,

in all their various branches, at my old stand, No 529, south side of Main street, one door above Third, under the name and style of

HIRSCHBUHL & DOLFINGER.

Thankful for the liberal patronage of my friends and customers, which I have enjoyed during the last ten years, I beg leave to inform the public in general that we are now prepared to fill all orders in the way of manufacturing Jewelry and Silver Ware, Plating and Replating, and particularly in setting Diamonds and other precious Stones.

We respectfully solicit a continuance of patronage for the new firm.

The repairing of fine Watches will at all times be executed by myself. J. J. HIRSCHBUHL.

I HEREBY respectfully inform my friends and customers that I have removed from No. 113 Fourth street, and entered into copartnership with J. J. Hirschbuhl at No. 529 Main street, between Second and Third, for the purpose named in the above card. Thankful for the liberal patronage which I have enjoyed for the last ten years, I humbly solicit my friends to transfer the same to our new firm. JACOB DOLFINGER.

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HIRSCHBUHL & DOLFINGER,

Manufacturers of and Wholesale and Retail Dealers in

JEWELRY,

WATCHES, SILVER WARE, PLATED WARE, AND CLOCKS,

NO. 529 MAIN STREET, ONE DOOR ABOVE THIRD.

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CABINET FURNITURE, CHAIRS, &c.,

At Wholesale and Retail.

CHAIRS, Matresses, Feathers, Venetian Blinds, Bedsteads, Bureaus, Tables, Wardrobes, &c., all cheap for cash, 502 and 504 Market street, between Second and Third, Louisville, Ky.

☞Cash paid for second-hand Furniture, or New exchanged for Old. apl9 dtf

JOHN A. WHARTON,

FURNITURE DEALER,

No. 576 Market street, bet. First & Brook, south side

LOUISVILLE, KY.

ALWAYS on hand, a large assortment of HOUSE FURNISHING ARTICLES, of which all will be sold cheaper than the cheapest, for cash.

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GEO. B. SLOAT & CO.'S PREMIUM Sewing Machines.

THE attention of an enquiring, intelligent and discerning public, is earnestly invited to an unprejudiced and critical examination of George B. Sloat & Co.'s newly improved SEWING MACHINES.

Mr. Sloat has spared neither money, time or thought, but has unreservedly and nobly devoted *all* to effect the desired result of producing the beautiful, simple durable and practically useful Sewing Machine, which we now manufactures and hesitates not to assert that it is not equal, but superior to any now in use or in the market, and at prices fifty per cent less than any good Lock-stitch Sewing Machine ever sold. Full instructions given in all kinds of sewing that is done on any other Machine. Send for a circular.

Samples of work sent by mail. Prices, $60 and $65. Hemmers, $3.

☞Office No. 69 Fourth street, under National Hotel

n22 d3m ls S. E. BLAKE, Agent.

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BULLOCK & PEARCE, General Insurance Agents.

Office, No. 435 Main Street, over W. H. Stokes' Store.

FIRE, Life, Cargo and Steamboat Hull Risks taken in the following reliable Companies, severally authorized by license from the Auditor of the State, to transact business under the New Insurance Law of Kentucky:

Home Insurance Company, New York, Cash Capital and surplus	$950,000
Metropolitan Fire Insurance Co., New York, Cash Capital and Sulplus	$370,000
Hope Fire Insurance Co., New York. Cash Capital and Surplus	165,000
Philadelphia Fire and Life Insurance Co., Philadelphia. Cash Capital and Surplus	255,000
Exchange Mutual Life Insurance Co., Philadelphia. Cash Capital and Surplus	200,000
United States Life Insurance Co., New York. Cash Capital and Surplus	450,000

Strict attention given to business, and the interests of our customers, and losses promptly adjusted at our office.

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MANUFACTURER OF

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ROOFING and House-work done at the shortest notice, and dealer in Stoves and Hollow Ware. Stoves repaired, and all kinds of Jobbing Work done at the shortest notice and at the lowest prices.

☞No. 586 Main street, between Clay and Hancock, opposite the Eagle Foundry, Louisville, Ky.

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PARTICULAR attention given to the Collection of Monies, the Purchase and Sale of Real Estate and payment of Taxes thereon, through Northern Kansas.

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VALUABLE FARM FOR SALE.

We will sell at 10 o'clock A. M., on the premises, in Henderson county, Ky., 4 miles from the city of Henderson, on Friday, 25th day of February next, to the highest bidder, to close a copartnership, one of the most desirable Farms in the county, and in an excellent neighborhood. This Farm contains 525 acres now in a high state of cultivation, well fenced—400 acres bottom land, well ditched; 125 acres upland; 300 acres cleared and in cultivation; 70 acres in timothy meadow, 60 acres in clover, 12 acres in wheat, the balance good corn or tobacco land; 50 acres of the woodland has the undergrowth cut out now ready for grass. It is well watered, has two good stock ponds and a never-failing spring; has good stables, corn-crib, negro cabins, smoke house, ice house, dairy, and all necessary out buildings; a comfortable Dwelling sufficient for a large family. We will also sell on the same day, all the Stock, consisting of Horses, Mules, Cattle, Sheep and Hogs, Farming Implements, Household and Kitchen Furniture, Corn, Hay, Oats, &c.

TERMS OF SALE—For Farm, made easy to suit purchaser. Stock sold on a credit of 12 months.

JOHN FUNK,
M. P. RUCKER.

Henderson, Jan. 17, 1859. jan21 d&wtd

MARCH—Godey's Lady's Book for March can be had at 84 Fourth street. f17 F. A. CRUMP.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

HOLLOWAY'S PILLS and OINTMENT.

The progress of scrofula is arrested by the Ointment. It clears the skin of all disfigurements. The Pills are astonishing whole districts by their cures of chills and fever, etc. Sold 80 Malden Lane, N. Y.

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BEE HIVE GALLERY,

Main Street, between Third & Fourth.

I would respectfully inform the public that I have procured the services of a skillful artist, and am now prepared to fill all orders for Photographs, in any style, painted in oil, water colors, and pastel. We are also still making those beautiful Ambrotypes, Melainotypes, Sphereotypes, etc., at the cheapest rates.

Call at the Sign of the Bee Hive, and examine for yourselves. E. KLAUBER,

jan25 dtf Proprietor.

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MAIN ST., BETWEEN FOURTH & FIFTH

EXPERIENCE THE BEST TEST!

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GENUINE COD LIVER OIL

Has been proved by twelve years' experience the best remedy for CONSUMPTION, SCROFULA, etc., and is recommended by the most eminent physicians.

CAUTION.—Beware of preparations pretending to possess the properties of the Oil in concentrated form, as many of them are worse than useless. The PURE OIL has been found to act better and have more speedy effect than any jelly or other preparation of it.

Sold by druggists generally. d14 d3m

DEGRATH'S ELECTRIC OIL.—This Oil acts on the system with electricity. Is of pure vegetable preparation, not the *slightest danger* of applying it outwardly or inwardly; it at once gives a permanent cure, in most cases, from ten to twenty minutes.

The best physiologists of Europe have discovered that all Organic Derangement in the Animal System is the effect of an obstruction of the Physico-Electro Fluid in the organ disease—a skillful application of this Oil puts in immediate motion the nerve fluid, and the cure is at once accomplished. No bleeding, no vomiting, purging or blistering, is resorted to.

None genuine without the signature of

Prof. CHAS. DEGRATH.

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Don't fail to procure Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children Teething. It has no equal on earth. It greatly facilitates the process of teething by softening the gums, reducing all inflammation—will allay all pain, and is sure to regulate the bowels. Depend upon it mothers, it will give rest to yourselves, and relief and health to your infants. Perfectly safe in all cases.

This valuable preparation is the prescription of one of the most experienced and skilful female physicians in New England, and has been used with never-failing success in millions of cases.

We believe it the best and surest remedy in the world in all cases of Dysentery and Diarrhœa in Children, whether it arises from teething or any other cause.

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☞None genuine unless the fac-simile of CURTIS & PERKINS, New York, is on the outside wrapper.

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Sold by all Druggists throughout the world.

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A CURE for *INTEMPERANCE, DELIRIUM TREMENS, NEURALGIA,* and *ST. VITUS DANCE* (or involuntary motion of the nerves), is carefully prepared by RAYMOND & TYLER, No. 74 Fourth street, *near Main,* and sold at $1 50 per package or $5 for four packages. One package is generally sufficient to effect a cure.

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Louisville Agricultural Works.

KENTUCKY CORN AND COB MILL.

FIRST PREMIUM.

WE have recently reconstructed and greatly improved this valuable Crusher, and, we can confidently say, that for *strength, simplicity, durability,* and *efficiency,* it has no equal. In future, our Crushers will be firmly fastened upon a strong box frame, which serves to hold the Machine, as well as to receive the ground meal; and, if necessary for the convenience of stock feeding, can be taken from place to place, or from one field to another, without taking it to pieces, and set down at pleasure.

The price of our Crusher is much *lower,* the weight of metal in it greater, and its working capacity equal to any other of the same size in use, while at the same time the draught is much lighter. Any one using this Mill will find a clear saving of one-quarter of his corn over the old plan of feeding.

It will grind dry corn and cobs as fine as desired, at the rate of 8 to 10 bushels per hour, with one horse.

Weight 400 ℔s. Price $30, with a liberal discount to dealers.

The above price includes the complete Mill, ready to hitch to, and can be set in operation in five minutes' time.

MILLER, WINGATE & CO., Manufacturers,
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DeGrath's Electric Oil

CURES

Deafness and Pains of Various Kinds in a very few minutes.

THIS wonderful discovery is now creating great sensation amongst the medical faculty of Europe and in our own country, and is the marvel of the age.

It often cures Rheumatism in one day.
Tooth-ache in two or three minutes.
Cramp in the Stomach in five minutes.
Burns, Cuts, Bruises, &c., in one to three days.
Head-ache in ten or fifteen minutes.
Ear-ache, Stiff-neck, Fever and Ague in one day.
Piles, Swelled Glands, and Lame Back in ten days.
Felons, Broken Breast, and Salt Rheum, in two to six days.
Hemorrhage, Abscess, and Scrofulous Sores, in a few days.
Chilblains and Frosted Limbs in three or four days.
And is very successful in Paralytic cases.

CASE OF DEAFNESS CURED.

NEW HAVEN, May 19, 1856.

Prof. DeGrath: My brother has been deaf three years, and after trying many remedies he used your Oil a few times and was entirely cured.

CLIFFORD R. SCRANTON.

Raymond & Tyler, No. 74 Fourth st., opposite the National Hotel, are the agents for the sale of it.

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DOCTOR HOOFLAND'S

CELEBRATED

GERMAN BITTERS

PREPARED BY

Dr. C. M. JACKSON, Philadelphia,

WILL EFFECTUALLY CURE

Liver Complaint, Dyspepsia, Jaundice

Chronic or Nervous Debility, Diseases of the Kidneys, and all diseases arising from a disordered Liver or Stomach,

Such as Constipation, Inward Piles, Fullness or Blood to the Head, Acidity on the Stomach, Nausea, Heartburn, Disgust for Food, Fullness or Weight in the Stomach, Sour Eructations. Sinking or Fluttering at the Pit of the Stomach, Swimming of the Head. Hurried and Difficult Breathing, Fluttering at the Heart, Choking or Suffocating Sensations when in a lying posture. Dimness of Vision, Dots of webs before the Sight. Fever and Dull pain in the Head. Deficiency of Perspiration, Yellowness of the Skin, and Eyes, Pain in the Side, Back, Chest, Limbs, &c., &c., Sudden Flushes of Heat, Burning in the Flesh, Constant Imaginings of Evil and great Depression of Spirits.

The proprietor, in calling the attention of the public to this preparation, does so with a feeling of the utmost confidence in its virtues and adaptation to the diseases for which it is recommended.

It is no new and untried article, but one that has stood the test of a ten years' trial before the American people, and its reputation and sale is unrivalled by any similar preparation extant. The testimony in its favor given by the most prominent and well-known Physicians and individuals in all parts of the country is immense, and a careful perusal of the Almanac, published annually by the proprietor, and to be had gratis of any of his Agents, cannot but satisfy the most skeptical that this remedy is really deserving the great celebrity it has obtained.

Principal Office and Manufactory, No. 96 ARCH St., Philadelphia, Pa.

SUTCLIFFE & HUGHES, Agents,

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WHERE we will at all times keep a good article of our own manufacture, from Virginia, Kentucky, Missouri and Tennessee Leaf, to which we respectfully call the attention of the WHOLESALE TRADE.

☞Terms liberal. m23 d1y MUSSELMAN & SON.

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427 MAIN STREET, BETWEEN FIFTH AND SIXTH,

LOUISVILLE, KY.

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MANUFACTURER, WHOLESALE & RETAIL DEALER IN all kinds of Trunks, Valices, Carpet Bags and Bonnet Boxes. Country Merchants coming to this city would do well by examining my stock before purchasing elsewhere, as my prices will be found 20 per cent lower than any other house in this city. I have constantly on hand a fine assortment of Gentlemen's solid Sole-Leather Trunks, with improved steel springs; also Ladies' fine French Bureau Trunks. Don't forget the number,

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SOLE MANUFACTURERS OF MONTGOMERY'S CELEBRATED

"Congress," "Copper-Distilled," "Dan'l Boone's Pioneer," and other brands of Rectified Whisky

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WE respectfully invite the attention of Dealers. We will offer our goods as low as same quality of articles can be bought in this or any other market. Orders will have prompt attention, and filled at lowest market rates. jan 21 d6m

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House, Sign Painter and Brand Cutter.

NO. 104 THIRD ST., OPPOSITE THE OLD POSTOFFICE, UP STAIRS.

ORDERS FROM A DISTANCE ATTENDED TO.

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MANUFACTURERS OF BURGLAR-PROOF SAFES, IRON RAILINGS, AILS, VERANDAS, Staircases, Balconies, Bank Vaults, Fire-proof Bank Doors, Shutters, Sash, &c. Also, every variety of *IRON WORK* for Public or Private Buildings. *ORNAMENTAL INCLOSURES,* for Cemetery Lots, of new patterns—very substantial and cheap. Also, all work in the *HOUSE-SMITHING* line done at the shortest notice, and at prices as low as the lowest. Persons will find it to their advantage to give them a call before purchasing elsewhere. Orders from abroad promptly attended to. *A BOOK OF PLANS* sent on application by letter. ☞Particular attention given to JAIL-WORK AND BURGLAR-PROOF SAFES. [n20 d1y&weowly] H. J. MEAD & SON.

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Are now receiving a very large and desirable stock suitable for the

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To which they invite the attention of buyers visiting this market. feb17 daw2m

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SILK, DRESS AND FANCY GOODS,

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WE RESPECTFULLY PRESENT TO OUR FRIENDS AND THE TRADE GENerally, the above card, soliciting for the Spring Season their attention to one of the largest and best selected stocks of *New and Fashionable Goods* in our line that has ever been offered in this market. Our facilities for importing or buying from importers only, equal those of any jobbing house, and, while studying the interest of a home market, we may fairly promise our friends and the trade everywhere, that we shall *make it an especial point in our business to duplicate, as near as possible, Eastern Jobbers' prices.* Our stock embraces everything belonging to a complete *Dress Department,* either in Ladies' or Gentlemen's Wear, including both *Trimmings* and *Furnishing Goods,* together with many *Staples* embraced in every department.

☞We respectfully solicit a call from all dealers.

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STATEMENT OF THE Peoria Marine & Fire Insurance Co., PEORIA, ILLINOIS.

OCTOBER 1st, 1858.

Name and Locality of the Company—PEORIA MARINE FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, Peoria, Illinois.

The amount of its Capital Stock	$500,000 00
The amount of its Capital Stock paid up	300,000 00

The Assets of the Company are—

1. Cash on hand	$2,990 85
2. Real Estate, unincumbered	5,815 00
3. Bonds owned by the Company, drawing 10 per cent	13,700 00
4. Debts of the Company secured by mortgage on Real Estate worth double the amount loaned thereon, drawing 12 per cent	113,729 98
5. All other debts as per number six.	
6. Debts for premiums due and not due	19,306 73
7. All other securities, consisting of discounted bills, notes, drafts and acceptances maturing daily, having from sight to ninety days from date to run	174,769 50
Total Assets	$332,812 04

Amount of Liabilities, due or not due, to banks or other creditors of the Company, estimated at	$1,700 00
Losses adjusted and due	None.
Losses adjusted and not due	None.
Losses unadjusted	5,200 00
Losses in suspense waiting farther proof	None.
All other claims against the Company	None.
The greatest amount insured by the Company in any one risk	10,000 00

The greatest amount allowed by the rules of the Company in any one city, town or village. No rules concerning the same.

The largest amount to be insured in any one block. Not exceeding $10,000 exposed to any one fire.

C. HOLLAND, Secretary.

☞As the Agent of the above Insurance Company, I solicit those wanting Fire or Marine Insurance to examine their report, which must convince every one that it has a solid foundation for the payment of all losses, and the public may rest assured that I would not have taken the agency had not I felt well satisfied of its ability to pay every loss it may sustain. This Company has been in existence and doing a profitable business for the past seventeen years, and its credit is established beyond all doubt.

I refer below to the note of its late worthy Agent, Mr. Vernon.

I desire to call the attention of farmers who have Dwelling Houses and Barns to insure, as this kind of Insurance is particularly desired, at very low rates.

Office at J. B. McIlvain & Son's, No. 383 Main street

JOHN B. McILVAIN,
Agent of the "Peoria Insurance Company."

☞Having resigned the agency of the "Peoria Marine and Fire Insurance Company," for which I have acted as agent in this city for the past year, I would cordially recommend it to the public at large as a safe and reliable Company, worthy of their patronage and support. EDWARD H. VERNON.

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PIANOS!

PETERS, CRAGG & CO.'S WAREROOMS,

CORNER OF MAIN AND SIXTH STS.

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We are Agents for the following Companies,

The standing and responsibility of which we have made a matter of personal investigation, and we feel authorised to represent them as undoubted:

DELAWARE MUTUAL SAFETY INSURANCE COMP'Y Of Philadelphia. Cash Capital and Surplus	$700,000
HOWARD INSURANCE COMPANY, of New York. Cash Capital and Surplus	$400,000
HARTFORD FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, of Hartford, Connecticut. Cash Capital and Surplus	$635,000
ATLANTIC FIRE AND MARINE INSURANCE CO. Of Providence, R. I. Cash Capital and Surplus	$225,000
NORTH WESTERN INSURANCE CO., of New York. Cash Capital and Surplus	$395,000
CITY INSURANCE COMPANY, of Cincinnati. Cash Capital and Surplus	$165,000
LAMAR FIRE INSURANCE CO., of New York. Cash Capital and Surplus	$280,000
ARCTIC FIRE INSURANCE CO., of New York. Cash Capital and Surplus	$250,000
UNION MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE CO., of Boston. Cash Capital and Surplus	$610,000

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DAILY COURIER

Steamboat and River News.

STEAMBOATS LEAVING TO-DAY.

FOR PARTICULARS SEE ADVERTISEMENTS.

JACOB STRADER, Dilman, Cincinnati.
JOHN RAINE, Underwood, N. O.
MOSES McLELLAN, Erwin, Memphis.
TENNESSE BELLE, Littlefield, St. Louis.
POLAND, Gracey, Pitts.
SCIOTO No. 2, Ballard, Henderson.

THE FRESHET IN THE OHIO—THE HIGHEST WATER IN FIVE YEARS—TWENTY SEVEN FEET ON THE FALLS. THE WHARF AND THIRD STREET BRIDGE SUBMERGED.—The river up to five o'clock last evening had continued to rise at the rate of three inches per hour, or 6 feet in 24 hours, with fully 27 feet water on the falls. During the 24 hours ending with Saturday evening, the rise was also 6 feet, and 18 feet in the three days past. Last night the river was still steadily rising, though not as rapidly as during the day, the rise being a little less than two inches per hour.

The river is now much higher than it has been since 1854, with the water on the first floors of all the houses on Water street below Fourth in most of the cellars of the houses some distance up the cross streets. The only wharf visible, last evening, was the new Fultz wharf, extending along what was formerly Strader's row, from Third to First streets.

The Third street bridge is fully four feet under water, and at dusk last evening the river's surface was up to the flooring of the Second street bridge, and we think it will go under to-day.—Then the only dry landing will be at the new wharf, opposite First street. That is an excellent wharf, and we think the mail boat will be found there this morning.

The greatest excitement and confusion prevailed yesterday among the denizens along Water street, and on the cross streets in the vicinity of the river. They were all moving out, or hoisting their goods and chattels from their lower to their upper stories, and draymen and laborers were in great demand.

The Universe, which left Cincinnati at midnight on Saturday, arrived here last evening, and we learn from the captain that the river at that point was nearly to the top of the wharf, and rising at the rate of about four inches per hour. That will certainly keep the river rising here all day to-day, though not as fast as heretofore.

Capt. Sanders, of the Dove, who came down from Frankfort Saturday evening, reported the Kentucky river slowly falling at that point. It had been at flood high, but as it was then subsiding, it gives hopes that the rise at this point will not be much above its present altitude.

The river has covered the point, invading the lumber yards and saw mills, and flowing freely through the works of the rolling mill, and a further rise of five or six feet will be apt to float or carry off millions of feet of lumber, piled "over the Point."

The town of Shippingsport is under water, and at Portland last evening, the waters of the Ohio swept the curbing of the stores along Water street, while the back water was surrounding the town. At New Albany the river had risen to within three feet of the pavement in front of the Phœnix foundry.

Skiffs were in great demand yesterday, to remove parties from their houses to the streets, or from boat to boat in front, with but very little business doing, and no movement in freights.

The river last night was rising about one inch and a half per hour, and was then within a little over six feet of the paper mill.

The encroachments of the river among the cellars and warehouses along Fourth street, caused the removal of the groceries, goods, and produce stored away. Timely removal saved all from damage, and we have heard of no serious losses. Messrs. Newcomb & Bro. moved from their cellars 600 hhds of sugar, and Sherley, Bell & Co., and others, were compelled to haul off some 300 hhds of salt stored in the alley between Third and Fourth streets. Clifford & Co., Moorhead & Co., Fenton & Glore, and others were hard at work all day removing potatoes, hay, and other produce, to the upper stories of their warehouses. All the denizens along Water street have been compelled to go higher, and the Gas Company shut off the gas all along the river, and dismantled the gas posts.

The river is now several feet higher than at any time since 1851, now nearly five years. Then the river commenced rising very rapidly on Wednesday, the 5th of March, with very heavy rains, and on Friday, the 10th, it was raining and rising at the rate of 3 inches per hour. On Saturday the water was on the first floor of I. S. Moorhead's store, on Wall street, and on Sunday there were 36 feet water on the falls. The next day the river commenced falling, followed by cold weather and ice. The river now is not as high as it was then by 6 or 8 feet. In the memorable floods of '47 and '52, the river for 48 consecutive hours rose 4 inches per hour.

There was a high wind and storm Saturday night, on the river, which tore the High Flyer and Lady Pike from their moorings, at Portland, and carried them below New Albany. In their course they struck the Bowling Green, breaking her water-wheel, guards, and pitman. The Lady Pike soon had steam up, and towed the High Flyer up to Jeffersonville.

The weather was cold and clear last night, with no doubts of frost, which will have a tendency to check the rise in the river.

At 10½ o'clock last night the water was beating against the flooring of the Second street bridge.

The Dove, yesterday morning, was taken over to Jeffersonville, and laid up until the waters subside.

The Antelope, Capt. Brown, will be at the wharf to-day, and take her departure to New Orleans to-morrow Tuesday.

The John Raine is discharging her cargo at the foot of Ninth street.

☞ The Jacob Strader, Saturday, had among her freight another L. tta steam fire engine, purchased by the city for the fire department. It looks to be a perfect, compact, stout machine, without a name. Call it "Brother Cradford."

☞ The Strader, Saturday, had a heavy cargo, including 120 tons of pig iron, and to Wash. Gough, the assistant clerk, we are indebted for a manifest.

EXPORTS PER DIANA.—To J. W. Forsee, clerk of the Diana, we are indebted for the following list of her cargo for New Orleans forwarded from Cairo. She has 900 tons, and was at Cairo Thursday morning: 821 tierces lard; 1,583 kegs do; 1,566 bbls pork; 134 casks meat; 60 hhds tobacco; 200 tierces hams; 431 bbls flour, 100 boxes candles; 187 sacks corn 170 bbls whisky, 30 pieces bagging; 100 bales hay; 14 bbls ale; 115 beef cattle; 3000 fuel baskets coal; 80 cabin passengers.

☞ The famous High-Flyer resumes her place in the St. Louis trade on the 1st of March, on Tuesday—her regular day.

☞ Among the arrivals at New Orleans on the 17th, was the Madison. The departures for the Ohio included the Fred Tron, Robt. J. Ward and Flora Temple. The last is an outsider.

THE NEW COAST PACKET.—Capt. Wm. C. Hite, who is superintending the construction and outfit of the new boat for Capt. Cotton for the New Orleans and Bayou Sara mail trade, was over at New Albany Saturday, and we learn from him that the work on the boat is being rapidly completed. Her immense chimneys were ready to be elevated, and will be put up to-day, and she will be ready to start South on her first trip between the 10th and 15th of March.

Capt. Hite has received unlimited orders to make the new boat the finest and the most complete passenger packet built since the advent of the great Eclipse. Her rooms will be sumptuously provided, and the painting and ornamental works of the cabin the finest ever seen.

BOATS TO BE SOLD.—The little Bowling Green, as she lies at Portland, is to be sold at Marshal's sale to-day.

THE Jesse K. Bell, at Cincinnati, is to be sold to-morrow.

☞ The Moderator, Altamont and Maclay have all departed from St. Louis for the Ohio.

COLLISION.—Last week a couple of Illinois river boats came into collision, by which the guards of both were smashed.

☞ The John Raine, of the splendid Lightning Line fleet, arrived from New Orleans early Saturday morning, with a heavy load—fully 500 tons—of sugar and molasses for this port. She lost 18 hours in fog in the Ohio river. Her manifest we published several days ago.

Owing to the rapid rise of the river, which submerged the wharf, the freight of the Raine was discharged but very slowly, and Capt. Underwood will hardly be able to return South this evening.

☞ The late rains and warm weather have been general all over the West and South, as well as this region. The Missouri is open and free of ice to St. Joseph, the Illinois to Peoria, and the Mississippi rising fast at all points. All these rivers rising at once, together with the present freshet in the Ohio, will be very likely to cause another flood in the Lower Mississippi, and prove disastrous to farmers and planters in all directions.—The Arkansas river is also reported rising, with several days rain along its banks, and the people on the coast had better prepare for the flood.

☞ The Dardanelle, a small thing, is reported sunk in the Arkansas, above Little Rock.

☞ The Nashville papers give the particulars of the loss of the Quaker City by fire at that port. She was burned to the hull, together with 14 bales of cotton. It is supposed that the boat took fire from the deck stove pipe which extends through the washroom, next the ladies cabin.

FOR THE EAST.—The low pressure Jacob Strader is the mail and passenger packet for Cincinnati and the East, at noon, to-day. She travels at locomotive speed, has good officers, and can accommodate 300 passengers. The attentive clerk, R. S. Dunning, is prepared to give through tickets.

☞ The Bracelet, from Bowling Green, reports Green river at flood hight and rising. She has a good frieght, including the shoulders of 2,000 hogs, and to Mr. Edwards, the clerk, we are indebted for a manifest.

She discharged considerabie freight at Evansville for New Orleans, and we learn that there are 1,000 molasses barrels at that point, for the coast, to be filled with molasses for a house in this city.

☞ The Tempest, Capt. Parr, from Nashville, as will be seen by our especial dispatches, passed Evansville Saturday. She was due last night.

MAIL PACKET FOR MEMPHIS.—The Moses McLellan, Capt. Erwin, is the regular mail and passenger packet for Cairo and Memphis to-day. She starts at 4 o'clock, from the upper wharf, taking passengers and mail to thirty-two landings on the Lower Ohio, to Cairo, and landing at all points below to Memphis. The officers are courteous and attentive, the clerk, John Woolfolk, being one of the most proficient in the trade. Passengers and shippers will find him always at his post, polite and attentive.

☞ The Magnolia, Saturday, while discharging, lost a barrel and a half barrel of molasses overboard. The barrel was fished out empty.

ANOTHER CLIPPER FOR THE SOUTHERN TRADE.—Capt. John Cannon, of the Vicksburg, has finally closed his contracts for a new boat for the cotton trade between new Orleans, Vicksburg, and "the bends." He at first contemplated building a light, short boat, but hearing that the New Orleans and Vicksburg Mail Line had determined to "run him out,' he has concluded to build a clipper that wont be very easily run out. She is to be 250 feet in lenght, with 40 feet beam, and a model expressly for speed. The engines are to be each 34 inches in diameter, with 10 feet stroke—the largest on the river. She is to have 7 double flued boilers, each 40 inches in dismeter, and 30 feet in length. It is stated that Lent, South & Shipman are to build the machinery.

Capt. Holmes, as we have already stated, changed the dimensions of his new mail packet building at Cincinnati. She is to be 275 feet in length, and her cylinders will be 36 inches in diameter.

☞ The Alonzo Child, Capt. Holland, has withdrawn from the South, and gone into the Missouri river trade again.

☞ Capt. Geo. W. Norton, of Wheeling, was in the city Saturday.

☞ The Pacific and Woodford, from New Orleans, are due to-day.

☞ The Empress, having been delayed by bad weather, and a wharf knee deep in mud, was not able to get her freight on board till yesterday. She started to New Orleans about noon.

☞ The Scioto No. 2, is the packet for Henderson and all way places this afternoon. She is in charge of Capt. Ballard, with Jerome Duncan in the office.

PORT OF LOUISVILLE.

ARRIVALS, February 19 and 20.

Hastings, Pitts;	Jacob Strader, Cin;
Dunleith, Cin;	Selma, "
Emma Dean, Carr;	Hudson, Nash;
Bracelet, G river;	John Raine, N O;
Tishomingo, Henderson;	Ohio Belle, "
Prairie Rose, Pitts;	Telegraph, Cin;
Messenger, Cin;	Universe, "
Memphis, Mem;	Tempest, Nash;
Wm Baird, N O,	Lehigh, St. L;
Susquehanna, "	

DEPARTURES.

Hudson, Pitts;	Jacob Strader, Cin;
Lebanon, "	Ohio Belle, "
Emma Dean, Carr;	Dunleith, Nash;
Hastings, St. L;	Tishomingo, Henderson;
R M Patton, Florence;	Telegraph, Cin;
Memphis, Cin;	Wm Baird, Cin;
Lehigh, "	Prairie Rose, St. L;
Messenger, Mem;	Magnolia, N. O;
Empress, N. O;	Selma, Cin;
Susquehanna, Cin;	Universe, N O;

MEMORANDA.

The Alvin Adams left Memphis Monday, the 14th, at 4, P. M. Met Battle at Devil's Race Ground, E H Fairchild at head 34, Eclipse in Joe Eckle's Bend, McLellan at Hickman, Chancellor at Chalk Banks, Diana at Tradewater Island, passed John Bell at Curlew mines, John Raine at Lane's Landing, met Southerner at Green River Tow Hiiead. High water has floated of the cabin of the 76, which we met at Concordia. Lost 17 hours repairing rudder at Fulton. Lost 12 hours by fog.

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CINCINNATI—Per Jacob Strader.—36 bbls whisky, F & W—10 packgs, Bliss—16 packages, Fielding & T—21 packages, John White & Co—56 coils rope, Sherley Bell & Co—24 hhds bacon, Mitchell & A—37 bundles paper, Harney & H—44 packages iron, consignees—17 hhds sides, 70 packkages candles, Guthrie, White & Co—185 packages iron, Bull—12 packages, Stokes—29 packages, Stackhaff—80 packages iron, M—85 packages candles, Weller—45 packages drugs, Robinson—50 bbls whisky, Nock, Wick & Co—10 bbls steel, Wallace Pope & Co—10 bundles iron, Bull—12 metallic cases, Pearson & King —43 pieces bagging, Bell & Murdock—50 bbls whisky, Ward & Cary—22 express pkgs, Frank Tryon—88 bbls whisky, Weller—32 bbls whisky, Wallace Pope & Co—40 tons pig iron, Moore—85 tons pig iron, Geo S Moore—67 coils cables rakes, Brannan—50 bbls whisky, Snyder & McCallum—18 bags seed, Sander's—10 horses, Kelley & Co —20 bundles gunnies, Snyder & McCullum—sundries, &c owners—

CINCINNATI—Per Telegraph No 3—12 bbls sugar, Clenoweth—16 boxes pickles Clenoweth—32 empty bbls Cutter—366 empty bbls, Hoyt—11 rolls, Dorkee Heath & Co—10 bales sheetings, James Trabue & Co—15 packages dates, Gaeano—20 packages merchandise, Allen Brown & Co—13 packages merchandise, Davis W E & Co—28 boxes, Prather & Smith—22 packages, Basham—6 pkgs furniture, 41 hides from Lawrenceburg, 4 bbls butter, 101 pkgs sundries, owners—

BOWLING GREEN—Per Bracelet—10 hhds tobacco, warehouses—83 bags wheat, S Lemont—4,000 shoulders meat, 66 bbls pork, Mitchell & Armstrog—19 bags wheat, McIvain & Son—22 dry hides, 2 packages ginseng, L K & Co—5 packages, Gardner & Co—1 box fur skins, Murrell & Trigg—46 packages, 129 bags wheat, 20 live hogs, owners—

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e15 dtf E. BARBAROUX.

BY TELEGRAPH.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH TO THE LOUISVILLE COURIER.]

FROM EVANSVILLE.

BOATS COMING!!

EVANSVILLE, Feb. 19, P. M.

The river here is bank full and rising, with fears of a flood. The following boats have passed up since morning:

The Susquehanna and Wm. Baird, from New Orleans, heavily laden; the Memphis, from Memphis, light; the Tempest, from Nashville, with a good trip; and the Lehigh, heavy, from St. Louis and Cairo. Yours, J. S. MITCHELL & CO.

XXXVth CONGRESS—SECOND SESSION.

Friday's Proceedings.

WASHINGTON, January 18th, 1859.—SENATE.—The only business of interest during the morning hour, was the report made by Mr. Polk, of Mo., for the Committee on Foreign Relations, to pay Mr. Squire, late Charge d'Affairs to Guatamala, $4,500 as a compensation for extra services. The bill provoked much discussion, both for and against it.

Mr. Hunter, of Va., endeavored to have the Consular, and Diplomatic Appropriation bill taken up, but the motion was defeated.

The private calendar was taken up by a vote of yeas 29, nays 21.

After the consideration of a few private bills, an important special message was received from the President, asking Congress to confer upon him power to use the army and navy to protect the transit route. It was partially debated by Messrs. Clingman, Benjamin, Douglas and Davis, more or less in favor; and by Seward and Fesseden, thoroughly against it.

Without action, the Senate adjourned.

EVENING SESSION.

The Senate, after the discussion of a few private pension bills, received a message from the President, which is given below in detail. A partial debate took place on a motion to refer the message to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

Mr. Clingman, of N. C., and Mr. Benjamin, of La., spoke briefly in support of the views of the message.

Mr. Seward, of N. Y., considered that it was a sad sight to see the President of the United States asking Congress to confer on him the war-making power, in order to assimilate his functions to those of European governments. The passage of a bill granting the President such power as he asks would be a virtual surrender of the powers of Congress, and in opposition to the express precepts of the Constitution.

Mr. Fessenden, of Maine, expressed similar views, and cited the Paraguary expedition, which was to consist of a single ship, and is now an armada of twenty sails, to show how the President might plunge the nation into war. The President now comes forward and asks for general power. It would be more rational to take initiatory steps at once to have a king, than blindly to confer absolute power on a President.

Mr. Douglas, of Ill., was glad that the President had called attention to this subject. He considered that the President should have power to keep open the transite route to our citizens and commerce. Moreover, he ought to be invested wite power, to summarily enforce redress for any outrages on our flag, our citizens, or our property, whenever it may occur. The executive of every other nation has it. Mr. Douglas did not mean to give a special vote of confidence in the present executive, but he was content to entrust that power to him and his successors, in all time. Our policy is to make the executive strong abroad; to make the American name respected, but not unduly to increase the executive power within the United Stnes. He hoped this message would originate a more vigorous and efficient foreign policy.

Mr. Davis, of Miss., could not concur in the doctrine of the Senator from Illinois to its full extent. There is no foreseeing to what limit it might not extend, if urged by ambition or by any other feeling That we want to invest the Executive with more power than our forefathers gave, only marks the decedance of the American people. Mr. Davis would prefer the delay of Congressional action, to the surrender of a great constitutional principle; but he did not understand the President as asking for undue or irresponsible powers. The transit route was constructed by American citizens, with American capital, and is, therefore, an exceptional case. Mr. Davis would grant the Executive the power he asked, but would limit it to the special case, which is known to exist

Mr. Green, of Mo., obtained the floor, and expressed himself ready to go on with his remarks.

Several Senators proposed to adjourn, whereupon Mr. Green said this was one of the most important messages ever before the Senate, and ought to be carefully understood, he would, therefore defer his remarks—and the Senate adjourned.

HOUSE.—Mr. Davis, of Miss., replied that the people of his State were able to defend themselves without arms, against northern or foreign invaders with arms.

Mr. Comins said that he did not mean to reflect upon the people of Mississippi.

Mr. Washburne of Ills., moved an amendment protecting military reservations from trespass, and stated that the Rock Island reservation was being stripped of its timber and despoiled of its value, and that the War Department was making no adequate effort to protect it. After some debate the amendment was rejected.

The House went into a Committee of the Whole on the Army Appropriation bill.

Mr. Staunton, of Ohio, offered an amendment to strike out the appropriation for recruiting, by which he proposed to test the sense of the members as to whether they were in favor of a reduction of the army.

During the debate, Mr. Lovejoy, of Ills., said that he wanted to put the army between the horns, so as to have merely a skeleton hung up for the study of practical anatomy. He was creditably informed, and believed that the army was used to get up Indian wars, and establish garrisons to advance the price of town lots. Some months ago, there was a just cry against the Mormons, and it was urged that they should be exterminated, merely because they preferred white concubines to black. Laughter.) He was proceeding to reply to Mr. Letcher's remarks of yesterday, when he was called to order by Mr. Phelps, of Mo., for irrelevancy. Mr. Lovejoy said that the point of order always comes from the vast deep when the harpoon touches the blubber.

Mr. Phelps, joining in the laughter, said that he had only insisted on an observance of rules.

Mr. Staunton's amendment was rejected. Yeas 35, nays not counted.

Mr. Comins, of Mass., said that he did not desire our army to be like the militia of Mississippi, which, according to an editor of that State, had an abundance of officers, but no arms or privates.

Mr. Faulkner offered an amendment cutting off the brevet pay. He said that there exists throughout the country a strong impression that the brevet rank is demoralizing and leads to subserviency and favoritism.

Mr. Bonham, of S. C., trusted that this step would not be taken, as it would cut down the pay of the general commanding, Lieutenant General Scott, who had fairly won every dollar that had been bestowed on him.

The amendment was rejected—yeas 40, nays 80. The other amendments were acted on, and the committee rose.

Mr. Nichols asked leave to offer the following: Whereas, in the correspondence of the New York Daily Times, of the 16th of February, signed S, and also in the correspondence of other papers, it is charged that a member of the Committee on Accounts made a bargain to receive money as a consideration for passing certain claims thereof, and that subsequently the said member demanded money for his service, and

WHEREAS, it is further alleged that a member of the same committee compelled claimants to agee to give a portion of the appropriation in the bills passed before the committee, in consideration for their allowance. Therefore,

Resolved, That a committee of four be appointed to investigate the said charges, and report before the close of the present session.

Mr. Burnett, of Ky., was tired of investigations of committees which resulted in nothing. He was, however, in favor of examining into charges of corruption, implicating members of the House, but in the present case, he raised a question of order, viz: That no specific charge has been made against any member by name.

The Speaker decided that the resolution was in order.

Mr. Letcher of Va., suggested a committee of one, who could sooner get through the business than four.

Mr. Sickles, of N. Y., understood that the evidence on which the Times' articles is based, amounts to this: A man who wrote a letter a year ago exonerating every one from blame, now made an affidavit that his former staement was false.

Mr. Bonham, of S. C., wanted the name of the member.

Mr. Nichols said the name of the member was mentioned in the Times article.

The resolution was unanimously adopted, and the House adjourned.

From Washington.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—The ball to Lord Napier took place at Willard's Hotel last night. The room was handsomely decorated with the flags of all nations, and at the end of the room full-length portraits of Victoria and Gen. Washington were suspended. The ball was opened by Lord Napier and Madame Van Limburgh, and Mr. Seward and Mrs. Conrad were then *vis a vis*. Gen. Cass and Lady Napier entered the room together. The supper room was opened at 11 o'clock. Col. Orr accompanied Lady Napier in to supper, followed by Senators Mason, Gwin and Seward, who were accompanied by ladies. Lord Napier accompanied Madame Sartiges, and Count Sartiges accompanied Mrs. Gwin. Twelve hundred people were present.

The President transmitted to the House a message similar to that sent to the Senate, asking Congress to entrust him with extraordinary powers for the protection of the lives and property of American citizens, but it was not laid before the former body. It took the Senators, generally, by surprise.

The large number of the general appropriation bills yet to be acted upon, including those for the army and navy, post office, miscellaneous, and ocean mail service, which, together with the measures for relieving the Treasury, and other subjects, will have to be crowded into as many hours usually devoted to legislation as there should be days, for their intelligent consideration.

There is a strong probability that the Committee of Ways and Means will report one or more bills next Monday. The indications are more favorable that a revised tariff will pass the House, at least the Senate is more doubtful.

It is said that Mr. Phelps is determined to launch his bill and trust to the current of the House.

The Morrill bill in many of its specific duties, places part of the duty on weight and part on value—thereby obviating the usual objections made by the enemies of specifics, that the poor man pays as much duty under them, on his clothes, as the rich man does on his.

Under this bill the duties are much fewer on low priced than on fine goods. The same principle prevails on cottons, silks and linens, the common qualities thus paying less than those which are more expensive.

It is said that experienced men concede that it can be executed at much less per annum than the present revenue law. They estimate that on an average importation of goods, which, under the present tariff, would value $48,000,000, and in Mr. Morrill's bill would realize much more, its average rate of duties will be less than the average end in the tariff of 1856, but will, it is claimed, be more satisfactory in its discriminations to the various interests of the country. Such are the representations of its friends.

The President's Message to Congress.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—The President to-day transmitted a message to Congress, as follows:

To the Senate and the House of Representatives.

—The brief period which remains of your present session, and the great urgency and importance of legislative action before its termination, for the protection of American citizens and their property while in transit across the Isthmus routes between our Atlantic and Pacific possessions, render it my duty again to recall this subject to your notice. I have heretofore presented it in my annual message, both of December, 1857 and 1858, to which I beg leave to refer. In the latter, I state that the Executive Government of this country, in its intercourse with foreign nations, is limited to the employment of diplomacy alone; where this fails, it can proceed no further. It cannot legitimately resort to force without the direct authority of Congress, except in resisting and repelling hostile attacks. It would have no authority to enter the Territories of Nicaragua, even to prevent the distruction of the transit and to protect the lives and property of our citizens on their passages. It is true, that on a sudden emergency of this character, the President would direct any armed force in the vicinity to march to their relief, but in doing this he would act upon his own responsibility. Under these circumstances, I earnestly recommend to Congress the passage of an act authorizing the President, under such restrictions as they may deem proper, to employ the land and naval forces of the United States, in preventing the transit from being obstructed or closed by lawless violence, and in protecting the lives and property of American citizens traveling thereupon; requiring at the same time that these forces shall be withdrawn the moment the danger shall have passed away. Without such a provision our citizens will be constantly exposed to interference in their progress and to lawless violence. A similar necessity exists for the passage of such an act for the protection of the Panama and Tehuantepec route.

Another subject, equally important, commanded the attention of the Senate at the last session of Congress. The republics South of the United States on this continent, have, unfortunately, been frequently in a state of revolution and civil war, ever since they achieved their independence, as one or the other party has prevailed and obtained possession of the ports opened to foreign commerce. They have seized and confiscated American vessels and their cargoes, in an arbitary and lawless manner, and exacted money from American citizens by forced loans and other violent proceedings, to enable them to carry on hostilities.—The executive government of Great Britain, France and other countries, possessing the war making power, can promptly employ the necessary means to enforce immediate redress for similar outrages upon their subjects.

Not so the Government of the United States.—If the President order a vessel of war to any of these ports to demand prompt redress for outrages committed, the offending parties are well aware that, in case of refusal, the commander could do no more than remonstrate. He can resort to no hostile act. The question must then be referred to diplomacy, and in many cases adequate redress can never be obtained. Thus American citizens are deprived of the same protection, under the flag of their country, which the subjects of other nations enjoy. The remedy for this state of things can only be supplied by Congress, since the Constitution has confided to that body alone the power to make war. Without the authority of Congress the Executive cannot lawfully direct any force, near, it may be, to the scene of difficulty, to enter the Territory of Mexico, Nicaragua, or New Granada, for the purpose of defending the persons and property of American citizens, even though they may be violently assailed while passing in peaceful transit over the Tehauntepec, Nicaragua or Panama routes. He cannot, without transcending his constitutional power, direct a gun to be fired into a port, or land a seaman or marine to protect the lives of our countrymen on shore, or to obtain redress for a recent outrage on their property. The banditti which infest our neighboring Republic of Mexico, always claiming to belong to one or the other of the hostile parties, might make a sudden descent on Vera Cruz, or the Tehuantepec route, and he would have no power to employ the force on ship-board, in the vicenity, for their relief, either to prevent the plunder of our merchants, or the obstruction of the transit route. In reference to countries where the local authorities are strong enough to enforce the laws the difficulty here indicated, can seldom happen; but where this is not the case, the local authorities do not possess the physical power, even if they possess the will, to protect our citizens within their limits. Recent experience has shown that the American Executive should itself be authorized to render this protection. Such a grant of authority, thus limited in its extent, could, in no just sense, be regarded as a transfer of the war-making power to the Executive, but only as an appropriate exercise of that power by the body to whom it exclusively belongs. The riot at Panama in 1856, in which a great number of our citizens lost their lives, furnishes a pointed illustration of the necessity which may arise for the exertion of this authority. I, therefore, earnestly recommend to Congress, on whom the responsibility exclusively rests, to pass a law before their adjournment, conferring upon the President the power to protect the lives and property of American citizens in the cases which I have indicated, under such restrictions and conditions as they may deem advisable. The knowledge that such a law exists would of itself go far to prevent the outrages which it is intended to redress, and rend r the employment of force unnecessary. Without this, the President of the United States may be placed in a painful position before the meeting of the next Congress. In the present disturbed condition of Mexico, and one or more of the other Republics South of us, no person can foresee what occurences may take place before that period. In case of emergency, our citizens, seeing that they do not enjoy the same protection with subjects of European governments, will have just cause to complain. On the other hand, should the Executive interfere, and especially should the result prove disastrous and valuable lives be lost, might subject himself to severe censure for having assumed a power not confided to him by the Constitution.

It is to guard against this contingency that I now appeal to Congress. Having thus recommended to Congress a measure which I deem necessary and expedient for the honor of the country, I leave the whole subject to their wisdom and discretion.

(Signed) JAMES BUCHANAN.

COMMERCIAL.

OFFICE LOUISVILLE COURIER,
SATURDAY EVENING, February 19, 1859.

FLOUR AND GRAIN—Sales of flour by the dray load at $5 75. Grain—sales from store of 600 bushels shelled corn at 85c ₱ bushel, sacks included; 500 bushels at 80c, sacks returned.

PROVISIONS—Sales 40 bbls mess, ordinary Lebanon packed at $18 50; 17 casks clear sides at 11¾c. Small lots of ribbed sides and shoulders at 9¾@7¾c; 10 tcs hams at 11¾c; 55 kegs lard at 13c, and small lots of bbl and tierce lard at 11¾c.

TOTATOES—Sales 500 bbls, including 300 bbls to go out of the market, at $2 25 ₱ bbl.

GROCERIES—Sales 15 hhds sugar at 7¾; 70 bbls refined sugar at 11¾; 25 bbls molasses at 37c.

HAY—Sales 150 bales at $18 50, and 61 bales prime at $14.

ROPE—Sales 25 coils machine at 8c.

WHISKY—Sales 500 half bbls rectified at 25¾c, and 126 bbls raw at same.

TOBACCO—Sales at warehouses Saturday of 26 hhds, viz: 1 at $3 50, 1 at $3 55, 1 at $3 90, 1 at $3 98, 3 at $4, 2 at $4 10, 1 at $4 35, 1 at $5 45, 1 at $5 70, 1 at $5 80, 1 at $6 45, 2 at $6 75, 1 at $6 80, 1 at $6 95, 1 at $7 05, 1 at $7 10, 1 at $7 75. Reviews—1 at $6 60, 1 at $7 10, 2 at $7 20, 1 at $8 55.

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